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SENATE IS AFTER CANNON'S SCALP.

Relentless Warfare Is Declared by Upper Branch of Congress Upon the Illinois Speaker.

TENDER SPOT IS TOUCHED

Refusal to Adjourn Extra Session, and Reasons for So Doing, Provoke Bitter Parliamentary Feud.

[BY RAYMOND.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Uncle Joe Cannon seems to have touched the raw in his fight on the United States senate. The members of that august body, old and young, republicans and democrats, have dug up the hatchet and say they will not rest until they have the speaker's scalp. It all comes about in a most simple way, but the fight promises to be a lively one. Having come together with other members of congress in an extra session for which the president alone is responsible, the speaker has consistently refused to agree to an adjournment. He has insisted on congress remaining in session, at least technically, so as to call the attention of the country to the fact that the senate refuses to do the work for which it was called together by the president.

Senators in Savage Humor.

Yesterday's executive session of the senate developed a surprising amount of savage criticism for the speaker, and these criticisms came from some of the oldest and most conservative members of the senate. The speaker's attitude was denounced as "childish interference," and the statement was made that if his position had been announced before an agreement had been made for the Cuban vote it would have been impossible to agree to vote at any time before the end of the winter.

Many senators assert that the agreement to take a vote next week was practically conditional on immediate adjournment, because otherwise there would have been no pressing necessity to secure unanimous consent two weeks ahead of time for taking the vote.

The republican senators are apparently as much disturbed as the democrats over the speaker's attitude. They say as they have a majority in the senate, if the attention of the country is to be centered upon the failure of the senate to take action the responsibility must necessarily rest with the republican party.

Other senators say it is an attempt on the part of the president and the speaker of the house to coerce the senate in regard to its strictly legislative functions. There is even talk of a movement to break the agreement for a vote on the ground that it was made with the implied understanding that there should be an adjournment of the extra session.

May Break Agreement to Vote.

Agreements under the unanimous consent system in the senate are not binding upon any one except from a standpoint of honor. Such unanimous consent frequently has been abrogated on the ground that the conditions under which it was given were not properly understood. It is clearly within the power of any senator without regard to party affiliations to give notice that he will not agree to vote at the time set.

Several democratic senators are already deliberating as to advisability of taking such action. Some of them believe it is the only possible way to get back at the speaker, and they are endeavoring to persuade their associates that the senate should assert its independence and debate the Cuban reciprocity bill until the cows come home, and thus in a way make the speaker personally responsible for the failure of the desired legislation until long after the time when the sugar crop is put on the market.

It is a curious thing that this resentment against Speaker Cannon should have flamed up in the senate again, but there is no question of the fact that the fight has broken out with renewed violence. A few republican senators who are not pleased with the speaker's attitude say they will do all in their power to influence their state delegations in opposition at all times to the personal wishes of Mr. Cannon. They accuse him of a lack of tact and of positive discourtesy to the coordinate branch of congress, and the fight is to be continued along these lines.

Speaker Cannon Not Worrying.

Meanwhile the speaker himself is serenely indifferent to the commotion at the north end of the capitol. He has been busily engaged remodeling his committee lists and he believes evidently that he has the country with him in demanding that the senate shall remain in session until it performs the work the president called upon it to do.

Close friends and admirers of the speaker do not take the slightest stock in the current story to the effect that a senatorial coalition is to be organized for the express purpose of throwing bricks at Uncle Joseph, with the end in view of preventing his election two years from now.

Meanwhile, however, unless peace can be patched up, there is certain to be some lively doings on the first big appropriation bill which develops a difference of opinion between the two houses.

Foraker Dodes Democrats.

"No gum shoes for us," said Senator Foraker. "The republican party can afford to go into the campaign with its heaviest boots on. We will discuss tariff on every platform, because the policy of protection is absolutely identified with the history of the republican party.

"We have already declared first at St. Louis and then at Philadelphia that the republican party is not wedded to schedules but is as firm as ever in its devotion to the principle of protection of American labor. There should be free trade between this country and the Philippine islands, exactly as there is with Porto Rico. The senate will at least pass a bill reducing the tariff on Philippine products.

"If the democrats want to precipitate a tariff fight we shall be only too glad to appeal to the people on that issue. Protection and free trade are representative ideas and we are quite willing the discussion in the senate, if there is to be one, should be on the tariff.

"We can say two words to the democrats' one in appealing to the good sense of the people. The nation as a whole is solid for protection and if the democrats press their free trade ideas they will be beaten even more decidedly than if they picked up any other issue which has yet been suggested."

SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1903.

THE WEATHER—
Rain or snow flurries Thursday, fair and cooler Friday, high southerly winds, shifting to northwest Thursday night.
Temperature, max., 50; min., 23.
Wind, S., max. 16, at 4:50 p. m.
Sunrise, 7:01; sunset, 4:20. Moonset, 5:29 a. m.

WASHINGTON:—

Senate again threatening fight on Speaker Cannon because of his refusal to adjourn the house; attempt to coerce action on Cuban treaty charged against him by both parties. **Page 1.**

Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, new British ambassador, presented to President Roosevelt by Secretary Hay; assurances of friendship exchanged. **Page 5**

General staff for navy, appointment of two vice admirals, more officers, and eight new cruisers recommended by Rear Admiral Taylor. **Page 5.**

LOCAL:—

John A. Dowie in address at Zion tabernacle blamed his financial troubles to "naughty" followers; latter commanded to give their all; $500,000 set; receivership will last for months. **Page 1.**

James A. Fullenwider, well known attorney, fatally shot by one of three robbers who tried to hold him up at Forty-second street and Wabash avenue; thirteen other robberies reported yesterday. **Page 1.**

Lack of ventilation in Chicago cable cars is driving women passengers to risk chills and ride on grips and platforms; air inside stagnant and floors wet. **Page 1.**

Protest against proposed ordinance requiring inclosed elevator shafts in fire-trap buildings made before Chicago realty board by George S. Eddy. **Page 4.**

Members of so-called plumbers' supply trust threatened with indictment today by grand jury, on charges of conspiray made by W S. Moore. **Page 2.**

Charges against Policeman Thomas C. Wolfe, accused of insulting Motorman Curry, "strike breaker," dismissed by trial board over Inspector Wheeler's protest. **Page 14.**

Ald. Mayor, chairman of city council finance committee, declared a few hangings are needed to check crime in Chicago, and more police are not necessary. **Page 2.**

Seven persons injured by collision of south side "L" trains at Fifty-first street during fog; woman hurt in collision of Cottage Grove avenue cable trains. **Page 8.**

Problem play upheld by Mrs. John D. Sherman before Chicago Woman's club, as less harmful than plays in which jest is made of everything. **Page 7.**

International live stock exposition praised by Col. W. E. Ferguson, Scotch expert, as greatest fat stock show ever held; five governors present. **Page 9.**

Car barn bandits displeased over their removal from Harrison street police station to jail, where public cannot see; arrangements for trial made **Page 2.**

Public hearings on Chicago City railway franchise extension will begin before city council committee today; Union Traction hearing postponed. **Page 9.**

LABOR:—

Work on buildings costing $20,000,000, in ten cities, will be stopped today by strike of structural ironworkers on George A. Fuller and Iron league contracts. **Page 1.**

Omer R. Burke, secretary of steamfitters' union, fatally shot by Robert Rogers, street car conductor, whom Burke assaulted because he refused to let him ride free. **Page 1.**

Labor "education" committees and slugging gangs of Franklin Pressfeeders' union, Chicago, denounced by Judge Holdom as disgrace; entire union on trial. **Page 3.**

John Mitchell reached Trinidad (Colo.) to take charge of coal strike; crowd of 3,000 greeted him, and business suspended; troops increased at Cripple Creek. **Page 3.**

DOMESTIC:—

New boodle scandal exposures predicted at Grand Rapids, Mich., today; attempt to create prejudice against city lighting charged against Salisbury. **Page 2.**

James L. Blair, St. Louis attorney under embezzlement charges, reported well, and friends are permitted to visit him; is paying $20 weekly for hospital room. **Page 4.**

FOREIGN:—

Panama canal treaty signed by junta at Panama without amendment, and will be given to Rear Admiral Walker at once; M. Renaudin, canal director, present. **Page 3.**

Russian cruiser Bayan and battleship Tsarevitch reached Port Arthur, although Japanese warships were reported on lookout to prevent; both nations for peace. **Page 3.**

Revision of Dreyfus' case denounced at nationalist meeting in Paris; government accused by ex-Minister of War Cavignac with disturbing peace. **Page 3.**

German newspapers, in accounts of New York "Parsifal" suit, accuse Director Van Der Linden with having score secretly copied. **Page 5.**

POLITICAL:—

Congressman Warner formally announced his candidacy for Illinois governorship in letter to W. D. Fairbanks at Monticello, Ill.; is 61 years old and civil war veteran. **Page 5.**

Gov. Odell's control of New York City republican organization shown after conference with Platt; M. Linn Bruce quit as candidate for county presidency. **Page 4.**

TRADE AND INDUSTRY:—

Automobile sales in United States during 1903 estimated at 11,000 cars, worth $12,000,000; 200 cars imported. **Page 7.**

New York cotton market transactions broke all records; nearly 2,000,000 bales traded in, and prices rushed almost to 12 cents on heavy buying; gain 6. **Page 9.**

December wheat closed ½ cent lower; July, ¼ cent; May reached 81⅝; bullish government crop report and heavy southwest receipts were factors. **Page 10.**

Diversion of freight rom eastern lines caused by increased rates on grain and flour; Great Western and other railroads preparing to ship flour to gulf. **Page 9.**

Union Pacific railroad's net earnings for October increased 10.5 per cent over 1902; Norfolk and Western, 12.8; Pennsylvania decreased $105,000. **Page 9.**

New York stock prices advanced irregularly, with increase of 80,000 shares in trading; Copper gained 1⅝; sugar advanced 4 points, to 125. **Page 9.**

SPORTING:—

Michigan reported to have challenged Yale to football game in 1904; Coach Yost and Walter Camp, Yale's adviser, in conference at New Haven; both reticent. **Page 8.**

Carrano & Co. entries barred by New Orleans racing steward and investigation of alleged doping of Patrice started; handicap won by Rainland. **Page 8.**

Standards of Chicago Bowling league given setback by Brilliants, who scored average of 939. **Page 8.**

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
ANTWERP	.....	Switzerland
CHERBOURG	.....	Pennsylvania
LIVERPOOL	.....	Ottonia ..... Oceanic.
NEW YORK	.....	Rhein ..... Cedric.
NEW YORK	.....	Palatia .....
QUEENST'N	.....	Teutonic .....
SOUTH'PTON	.....	K. Wilhelm II.

DOWIE STORMS; SEEKS $500,000.

First Day of Receivership in Zion Ends with Mass-meeting of 3,000 of the Faithful.

NEW CLAIMANTS APPEAR

Preliminary Examination of Affairs Indicates That Proceedings Will Last Many Months.

"Some of you have been naughty and have brought the hell hounds barking about Zion. Some of you have not obeyed me—you have not given to Zion as I have commanded. You have been naughty and should be spanked."

In these words John Alexander Dowie, at Zion City tabernacle last night, placed blame on his followers for the financial misfortunes which precipitated the receivership of Zion properties granted by Judge Kohlsaat in the United States court Tuesday night. For more than two hours the restorer paced the floor of the big Shiloh hall and alternately pleaded with the faithful for renewed support and berated them as if they were children for not contributing more liberally to the ventures of the prophet.

Must Give "Their All."

"Now that enemies have invaded Zion and the vipers of the press have renewed attacks on me, I command you again to give your all, if need be, to satisfy these creatures and send them flying from our doors. Will you obey me?"

"Yes! Yes! We will," came the response from the 3,000 followers who shivered in the great, bare, half filled hall, but the old acclaim that greeted Elijah in more prosperous days was wanting, and the restorer wrathfully turned upon his people, exclaiming:

"You are being spanked for your disobedience. Do you want more of it? God has commanded me to lead you and you have sworn to follow.

"I have immediate need of $500,000, and though the money is coming in rapidly, I must have more."

Then the collection boxes were passed. The response to this appeal was far from enthusiastic. The amount collected appeared to be for the most part in silver small change. The exact total could not be learned, but it is believed to be less than $1,000, or about 30 cents a head.

He Continues to Talk.

While the collection was being taken Dowie continued to talk.

"I love this tabernacle," he said. "I loved all my tabernacles as I loved my people. As my people have grown so have my temples of worship. And when we prepare to leave this tabernacle for the last time, the next house of worship will be Jerusalem.

"Yes, we will help rebuild Jerusalem. It has always been my prayer. God has told me to do it. God tells all of you to do it. But not now. That will came later.

"The flesh pots are the cause of our coming here tonight. They are a joke to me. For an hour the dogs have thought they led me. But, beloved, we are going to kick them out now. We will kick them for all eternity."

"Dogs" Like Flea on Elephant.

"Beloved, I would like to take you into my confidence. A few minutes ago I received a communication that has caused the clouds to begin to rift. The dogs can plague me no more by this tagging than a flea can worry an elephant.

"I call upon you to help me crush them all. My people, I come to you for help. I know that you will not be found wanting.

"Those devil parasites, the reporters, came to me today. They wanted to know what I would say to you tonight. Did they learn from me?"

Cries of "No."

"I tell you we will run them out of Zion. I knew they were coming before they attempted to pollute Zion. I knew it by the stench that came ahead of them. They would smoke here? Bah. We'll drive them back to Babel, where they may smoke from morning till night. Chicago is famous, or infamous, for only one thing. It's smoke.

"I passed by the bank today and locked in a second. The hell hounds were there before me. They asked me if the bank was broke. [Laughter.] I tell you the reporters alone are the cause of this. They will pollute us no longer."

Reporters Are Ejected.

After this bit of denunciation the reporters who had gained admittance were ejected by the Zion guards.

The earlier part of the meeting was given up to psalm singing and reading of the scriptures. Then Dowie delivered his harangue, part of which is printed above, part of which is a secret. So far as could be learned, he never condescended to explain the true inwardness of the receivership.

The faithful left the meeting as mystified as they came.

Receivership Will Last Months.

Preliminary examinations of the affairs of Zion City indicate that the receivership must last for months. The receivers declared that there appeared to be outstanding $500,000 in claims based alone on merchandise. This discovery put an end to whatever faith the receivers had in Dowie's declaration that he could "readily meet every liability." It put an end to any possibility of a speedy termination of the proceedings.

Even were Dowie to pay off the claims filed, now included in the bankruptcy proceedings, he would still have other liabilities, and no settlement can be made until all are accounted for.

"It will be months before these proceedings can be terminated," said Attorney Levinson. "We hope, however, that by such a careful management of the properties as we are planning all claimants will eventually be paid off in full."

Big Claims Filed.

Creditors representing $120,000 in additional claims petitioned the court during the day to be made parties in the bankruptcy proceedings. They will probably be allowed to come in as additional petitioners. Among the new claims filed was one of $100,000 by the representatives of Samuel Stevenson, Dowie's brother-in-law and former associate. The claim represents the unpaid portion of the $150,000 granted Stevenson by Judge Tuley in a suit for accounting against Dowie. Stevenson holds notes for the amount.

It is understood that a large number of the residents of Zion City have loaned the general overseer money, and are entitled to become parties to the bankruptcy proceedings. If

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DOWIE: "NOW FOR A MIRACLE."

HUGE STRIKE IS ON.

Work on Buildings Valued at $20,000,000 Stopped.

TEN BIG CITIES ON THE LIST.

Ironworkers Aim Blow at the Fuller Construction Company.

Work on buildings valued at $20,000,000 now under construction in ten of the largest cities of the country will be stopped today by a strike of the International Bridge and Structural Ironworkers' union against the George A. Fuller Construction company and the Iron league of New York.

Behind the fight of the bridge men is the influence of Sam Parks, who, although ill in the prison hospital at Dannemora, N. Y., still is powerful enough to induce 10,000 members of the organization he was convicted of "selling out" to fight the company that sent him to the penitentiary. In this, his last struggle, the convict boss for the first time has the unanimous support of the leaders of the union.

Trouble Starts in New York.

The direct cause of the strike is the attempt of the Fuller company and the Iron league to build up a dual bridgemen's union in New York City and force the members of the international to take out its membership cards. The first effort along this line began three weeks ago. It called a local strike in New York, and the coming fight is the ultimate result.

The orders for the struggle yesterday morning were issued by the international executive board of the union, which now is in session at McCoy's hotel in this city. They were telegraphed to every local union in the country. These organizations have called special meetings, and at each the workers will be told to refuse to continue at work on any job controlled by the Fuller company.

Ten Cities Are Affected.

The following ten cities will be affected:

New York,	Boston,
Chicago,	Washington, D. C.
Philadelphia,	Baltimore,
St. Louis,	Kansas City,
Pittsburg,	Omaha.

The strike may assume the greatest proportions of any struggle that the building industry of the country has known. The bridgemen are members of the new National Structural Trades alliance, an organization of every union engaged in the building trade. The alliance has the power to call sympathetic strikes and the bridgemen will request it to do so on the Fuller and Iron league work if they are unable to win alone.

Less Severe in Chicago.

In Chicago the fight will not be severe. The Fuller company has just completed the Iroquois theater and the Schlesinger & Meyer buildings, and has only the McNeill building under construction. This is a ten story structure on Jackson boulevard between Franklin and Market streets, and is almost completed so far as the iron work is concerned.

In New York there are buildings valued at $10,000,000 going up, and the union intends to centralize its efforts there. It is in that city the dual organization, known there as the Fuller union, has its only hold, and with its 1,600 members has become a menace to the bridgemen's organization. Street brawls and shooting already have marked the struggle, and are expected to increase as the strike continues.

When the board met yesterday morning at 9 o'clock it took up the question. Informally, it had agreed to call the strike the night before, but the action that authorized it was taken at the morning gathering. This took the form of a letter to each local union, which was drawn up by President Frank Buchanan, Parks' successor as "king of the ironworkers," and Secretary W. J. Johnson.

Chicago Union Obeys Order.

With this communication were sent telegrams ordering special meetings of the local unions. In Chicago local No. 1 met last night, heard the decree of the board, and called out its members. In the other cities the men are expected to meet tonight and receive their instructions. None, it is believed will disobey, and if one does it will be disciplined.

NO FARE, A BULLET.

Union Official Declines to Pay Nonunion Conductor.

EJECTED ONCE, COMES BACK.

Second Fight Followed by Shooting Which May Prove Fatal.

Ejected from a Forty-first street electric car because he had refused to pay his fare to a nonunion conductor, Omer R. Burke, 559 West Forty-third street, secretary of the steamfitters' union, last evening pursued the car for five blocks, assaulted the conductor, and received a bullet wound which probably will cause his death.

Robert Rogers, conductor of the car, was arrested by the police of the stockyards station and admitted the shooting, which was witnessed by a score of passengers, including several women.

The trouble began at Forty-first and Wright streets shortly after 7 o'clock. Burke was standing on the crowded platform when the conductor asked him for his fare. Noting the absence of a union button on Rogers' coat, the labor leader said:

"You can't collect any fare from me. I'll never pay a nonunion man a cent."

Passengers Engage in Dispute.

Union men standing beside Burke cheered him in his stand. The latter began to abuse the conductor, and passengers took sides in the wordy battle. Motorman Benjamin Ellis stopped the car.

"I'll get that fare before you go another foot," Rogers is reported to have said.

The union partisans massed around Burke and defied the conductor to put them off the car. Burke and Ellis suddenly made a rush. Burke was forced from the platform; and the car was started with a jerk.

During the delay another west bound car had approached. Burke picked himself up and followed his supporters to the platform. The second conductor wore a union button. Burke explained the encounter, and the motorman of the second car put on full speed. Gradually the trolley overtook the one ahead, and at Halsted street they were close together.

Again Seeks for Trouble.

Burke alighted and ran to Rogers' car. Several other union men accompanied him "to see the fun," as they explained later. He took a seat in the forward trolley and again refused to pay his fare. Other enemies of the conductor held the motorman on the platform.

The conductor seized the disturber by the collar, forced him through the crowded car, and thrust him into the throng on the platform.

"Now, get off!" he said.

Burke suddenly turned and struck the conductor. Rogers, dazed from the blow, rushed forward to the encounter, but again was struck. Then, when the union leader advanced, Rogers drew a revolver and shot Burke in the left side, below the heart.

The wounded man fell across the steps and his head struck the pavement.

Panic Follows the Shooting.

Passengers were thrown into excitement and crowded over each other to escape from the car. Several women fainted in the rush, and a line of cars was blocked at the corner while the police were coming with an ambulance.

The union sympathizers who had cheered Burke in his attack were cowed by the shooting and fled before the police arrived. When the ambulance and patrol wagon came, Rogers assisted in caring for his victim and then surrendered himself to the police.

Motorman Ellis, a witness of the shooting, was not arrested. He bore marks of his encounter with Burke and with the other disturbers.

"I am a nonunion man," he said, "and I worked during the strike. Rogers also was employed then, and each of us has had considerable trouble with union men."

Burke, while on the way to the Mercy hospital, told the police he was on his way to a meeting of the union at Forty-eighth street and Ashland avenue. He is 38 years old and married.

Rogers is 27 years old and resides at 4221 Wabash avenue. He assisted in running the Wentworth avenue cars during the rioting.

IMPURE AIR IN CARS.

Patrons Have Chill or Headache Alternative.

MANY RIDE ON THE OUTSIDE.

Total Lack of Ventilation Causes Much Suffering.

"What if it is cold, let us take the grip car."

If you will watch the cable trains fill with their morning and evening crowds you will hear this sentence often repeated. You will note that winter's cold does not deter men, women, and children from hurrying to the open grip seats. The platforms, too, bear more than their share of the load, as passengers fight to remain outside in preference to entering the cars, where there may be more space.

Patrons of the Chicago street car lines have the choice in cold or stormy weather of two evils. They may stand or sit on the outside and shiver or they may wedge into the cars and be half suffocated in the foul and contaminated air.

The tired women and girls who have been employed all day in stores and shops or who have been on errands to the heart of the city, generally prefer the latter.

Promise Remedy Some Time.

The cause for the present conditions is the want of anything like ventilation. The companies admit this fact, but say they are helpless, as the passengers close the windows as fast as they are opened to let in the fresh air. As a remedy the Union Traction company promises that the new cars building will have transoms that only the conductor can get at. They will not be finished for service this winter.

A little observation last evening at the "rush hour" told the story. State street carries less traffic than any other north and south trunk line on the City railway. Still, the passengers filled the platforms and the grip car before the inside seats all were occupied. While it was comfortably warm within, the air was close and stagnant and the floor was damp from the melted snow.

Worse on Electric Cars.

With the electric cars going south on Clark street there was even more ground for complaint. The proportion of platform space is smaller and the patrons all want to go home at the same time. Only a few, comparatively, could stand in the vestibules, and they shut off the air, that had no way of entering the cars except through the doors.

On the north and west side lines the conditions were still worse. The only mitigating fact was found in the large platforms of the cable trains, on which half the passengers leave the loop district.

Lays Blame on the Public.

"Many persons object to having a transom or window open," said Supt. Millard B. Hersley of the Union Traction company, "and take it on themselves to close them. The public regulates ventilation. It is a humiliating position for the conductor to attempt to attend to it, for he can please no one. This especially is the case in rush hours when so many men are standing in reach of the transoms."

ANN ARBOR STUDENT AND COED ACCOMPLICE SUSPENDED

Guided by Girl Young Man Disguised as Negress Invaded Dressing Room During Party Given by Young Women.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—A Michigan upper classman who entered a party exclusively for girls in the disguise of a colored mammy and the coed conspirator who piloted him have been suspended.

Both culprits are upper classmen, and the boy is a Christian Endeavor member. Three hundred girls were in the dressing room, and as men are not allowed at the party even as spectators, the offense is considered grave.

The action of the girl in taking the boy into the dressing room is termed "disloyal" by the faculty. Discipline will be unusually severe, since Michigan leaves its girls free from rules and holds them answerable only to their consciences. The names of the culprits are kept secret.

SHOT IN THE BACK BY HOLDUP MAN.

Attorney J. A. Fullenwider Is Probably Fatally Hurt by Lurking Footpad, Who Then Flees.

CLIMAX OF DAY'S CRIME.

Series of Attacks on Street and Other Thefts Reported to the Police Hour by Hour.

As a climax to a day marked by a series of bold crimes of the holdup variety, James A. Fullenwider, a well known Chicago attorney, living at 472 Fifty-second street, was shot down in the street from behind by one of two footpads who had accosted him. Mr. Fullenwider is now in Mercy hospital, and Dr. J. B. Murphy reported at midnight that he probably would die.

The shooting was a wanton attempt to take life, for after wounding Mr. Fullenwider the robbers ran away without attempting to search his pockets. The attack took place early in the evening at Forty-second street and Wabash avenue.

Robberies Reported All Day.

From morning till night there were reports of robberies to distract the police. Among the crimes were:

J. Hanks, tailor, Melrose Park, with J. Friedman, a customer, held up and robbed of $21 by two men. No arrest.

Anthony Fisher, saloonkeeper, 145 Halsted street, four patrons held up, two shots fired. John Flynn arrested.

Manasse's optical store, 88 Madison street, robbed. Jewelry valued at $150 taken. Andrew Lawson wounded by police and arrested.

Miss Ada Kuhn's house at 1862 Sherman street, Evanston, robbed of $15 and bric-a-brac.

Thomas Regan's saloon, 4458 Ashland avenue, held up by two youths; $40 in currency and $60 in checks taken.

Rose Bollenger, 435 Forty-third street, held up in Cottage Grove avenue, near Forty-third street, purse and $10 taken.

Hong Sing, 5045 Cottage Grove avenue, laundry entered by three boys and man with pistols; $10 taken.

Sam Wah, 628 East Fifty-fifth street, laundry held up, $30 taken.

Patrick O'Donnelly, Thomas Conley, and William Ryan had six revolvers when arrested in saloon at Forty-third street and Ashland avenue; suspected of several holdups.

Cold Blooded Attack.

The attack on Attorney Fullenwider was especially coldblooded. The first intimation the victim had of the presence of his assailants was a call from behind:

"Hold up your hands and stand still."

Mr. Fullenwider obeyed the first command, but started to run away. He had gone but a few steps when one of the robbers fired. The bullet struck the attorney in the hip and he fell to the walk. As he lifted his head, expecting his assailants to leap upon him, the fallen man saw the two men disappear in the darkness.

Feeling himself growing weaker, Mr. Fullenwider was confronted with the danger of dying alone in the street. Overcoming his weakness he started toward his residence several blocks away. He had gone some distance when he overtook Dr. Norton Jipson, 4905 Wabash avenue.

Near Death When Found.

The attorney when found by Dr. Jipson was hardly able to move further, and the physician gave it as his opinion that Mr. Fullenwider soon would have died unless discovered.

Dr. Jipson was passing when he heard a faint cry for help, and found the robbers' victim where he had ceased his efforts to reach home. Calling a private ambulance, Dr. Jipson quickly took the attorney to the hospital, after assisting him to a house nearby.

Little Hope of Recovery.

A hurried examination at the hospital showed that the lawyer was in a serious condition, and his wife was summoned. Dr. J. B. Murphy performed an operation. The physician had little hope Mr. Fullenwider would recover, as the bullet, entering the abdomen, had taken an upward course and had passed almost through the body.

"Mr. Fullenwider's condition is extremely bad," said Dr. Murphy after the operation. "The bullet was of large size and made a terrible wound."

Despite his wound, Mr. Fullenwider remained conscious until put under anaesthetics preparatory to the operation. He told of his misfortune.

"I had just emerged from my buildings and was walking along when I met two men," he said. "They separated and I passed between them. After I had got by they ordered me to hold up my hands, and I did so. I started to run, and had gone perhaps twenty feet when I was struck. Only one shot was fired, and the men ran away."

Returning After Paying Men.

Attorney Fullenwider had gone to Forty-third and State streets early in the evening to pay a number of workmen employed on flat buildings which he owns. He was returning to his residence at 472 Forty-second street, when he was attacked. It is believed the robbers knew of the payments to be made to the workmen, and supposed Mr. Fullenwider still had money in his possession.

The wounded man, whose office is in the Fisher building, and who is well known in legal and club circles, is 47 years old, and has a wife and one daughter. Mr. Fullenwider also has been prominently identified with Presbyterian church matters, and is at present a trustee in the Forty-first Street church.

Numerous holdups recently have occurred in the vicinity, and in several cases the robbers, all said to be young men, have fired at fleeing pedestrians. Two persons in the Englewood Union hospital at present owe their injuries to robbers.

Youths Rob in Saloon.

Two youths, neither more than 19 years old, held up Thomas Regan and Thomas Clifford in the former's saloon at 4458 Ashland avenue at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. While scores of packing house employes were passing they searched the pockets of the men and then stole $40 from the cash register, also taking $60 in checks on stockyards concerns.

Regan was sitting at a table with his nephew, Clifford, when the young men entered, with red masks concealing their faces.

"Don't you move and don't make a noise or you'll get the biggest bullet you ever saw," said one, as he held a large revolver to Regan's head. "Turn your pockets inside out."

Both men complied, and the robbers swore at finding the pockets empty. As one was coming from the cash register Mrs. Margaret Clifford went to call her nephew. A

robber saw her enter by a rear door, but the woman locked it quickly and ran down the street, shouting for help. The police arrived to see the men escaping across a field.

Supposed Robbers Caught.

In cells at the new city police station are Patrick O'Donnelly, 19 years old; Thomas Conley, 21 years old; and William Ryan, 21 years old. The trio had six revolvers when arrested in a saloon at Forty-third street and Ashland avenue. The young men are said to be responsible for the following robberies, each of which was committed by three young men:

Mitchell, Frank, 6450 Laflin street; held up last Thursday in his saloon; $25 taken.

Wall, John, 4737 Cook street; shot in left jaw last Thursday while resisting holdup men at Forty-seventh and Loomis streets; still in Englewood hospital.

Driscoll, Dennis, 5359 Laflin street; held up a block from residence Friday night; lost $5.

Burke, Michael, 4851 Justine street; held up at Fifty-first and Loomis streets Friday night; lost $20.

The police also accuse the young men of entering the house of George Kauffmann, 4839 Justine street, Friday morning. The thieves chloroformed Mr. Kauffmann and stole his overcoat and a pair of trousers, containing $30.

Arrest After Attempted Holdup.

Two hours after a man had attempted to hold up Anthony Fisher's saloon, 145 Halsted street, in the morning, John Flynn was arrested while trying to escape from a house at Congress and Morgan streets. He was taken to the Desplaines street police station. In the saloon four patrons were ordered to hold up their hands, and two shots were fired at Edward McCleary, the bartender, but he was not hit.

While fleeing from the optical store of L. Manasse, 88 Madison street, which he is said to have robbed early in the morning, Andrew Langan was shot in the hand by policemen and captured. Langan has but one arm and said he was unable to obtain work. He is said to have confessed that he kicked in the window of the store and stole jewelry worth $150. He once served thirty months at Pontiac, and was held to the Criminal court by Justice Caverly in $2,000 bonds.

While passing a vacant lot in Cottage Grove avenue, near Forty-third street, in the evening Rose Bollenger, 435 Forty-third street, was set upon by a robber, who seized her purse and ran away. The purse contained $10.

Residents of Evanston reported losses by sneak thieves. Miss Ada Kuhn and Miss Emma Cutler, 1962 Sherman street, said money and bric-à-brac worth $15 was stolen yesterday.

J. Hanke, a tailor, and J. Friedman, his customer, were robbed of $21 yesterday morning at the tailor's shop in Melrose Park by two men at the point of a revolver. No arrests were made.

Dolle Is in More Trouble.

George Dolle, arrested in St. Louis Oct. 31, and brought to Chicago Nov. 3 as a suspect in the Clybourn Junction station robbery July 4, last night was taken to Cincinnati to answer to a charge of stealing diamonds valued at $2,800. At the request of Inspector Campbell the case against Dolle was dismissed by the grand jury, that he might be surrendered to the Cincinnati detectives. The confession of the car barns bandits that they committed the station robbery relieved Dolle of the charge upon which he was brought to Chicago.

Will Aid South Side Police.

Owing to the inability of the police of the Fiftieth street station to cope with crime in that district Lieut. John F. Sullivan of the Central detail last night was transferred there to check the holdups and burglaries. Robbers and thugs have become so bold in the Fiftieth street district that residents fear after dark to go on the streets. Not a night passes without several holdups. Lieut. Anson Backus is transferred to the city hall.

Bride Locked Up as Thief.

Mamie Morris, a bride of six weeks, is locked up at the Harrison street police station charged with stealing a muff in a State street department store yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Morris, who says that her home was in Toledo, O., and that she has been living at 3816 Forest avenue with her husband, who is a traveling salesman, fainted when taken to the police station. She will be given a hearing this morning before Justice Caverly in the Harrison street police court.

SAYS HE PAID $175 IN VAIN FOR PLACE IN CITY EMPLOY.

Louis Kern, Failing to Get the Position, Has Charles H. Hermann, 36 Rice Street, Arrested.

Failure to secure Louis Kern, 392 North Winchester avenue, a position as street inspector after he is alleged to have obtained nearly $175 for such service, caused the arrest of Charles H. Hermann, 36 Rice street, last night. Hermann when taken to the station denied the charge. Hermann is said by Kern to have promised to get him a position in the city hall for many months. After paying the money, and waiting for several weeks, Kern says his suspicions were aroused and he demanded that the money be returned. When Hermann refused Kern swore out a warrant.

Y. W. C. A. HAS EPIDEMIC SCARE.

Nearly Twenty Girls at 288 Michigan Avenue Made Ill by the Drinking Water.

Apprehension of an epidemic caused by impure water yesterday disturbed the management of the Young Women's Christian association building, 288 Michigan avenue, when it was reported to the superintendent, Mrs. Emma Davidson, that nearly twenty guests were ill. Miss Anna Degeler was the most severely affected, and Dr. Wells of the Samaritan hospital was called. He declared that the illness was due to impure drinking water, possibly contaminated through defective plumbing. An investigation was ordered by the management.

SHAVE AND HAIRCUT COST $3.

Iowa Stockman Causes Arrest of a Barber Who Made Prices to Suit Himself.

Because he was charged $3 for a shave and haircut, M. J. Ryan of Centerville, Ia., a stock show visitor, yesterday caused the arrest of William Meyers, a barber at 18 Polk street. The latter told the police he had perfumed Ryan's hair and given him a face massage. The stockman failed to notice any extra attentions. The charge against the barber was obtaining money by means of a confidence game.

COMES BACK WITH A NEW RING.

Miss Grace Todd, Missing Since Last Sunday, Returns and Says She's Engaged.

Miss Grace Todd, who disappeared from her boarding place, 5708 Cottage Grove avenue, last Sunday, and for whom the police have been searching, yesterday returned and announced that she is soon to marry Edwin Hayden, 474 Fullerton avenue, whose acquaintance she made through correspondence. She did not explain where she had been but proudly exhibited an engagement ring.

BISHOP ASKS FOR COADJUTOR.

The Rev. George B. Morgan of New Haven, Conn., to Aid Prelate in Springfield Diocese.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 2.—On account of advancing age Bishop Seymour at today's session of the synod of the Springfield diocese of the Episcopal church asked for the appointment of a bishop coadjutor. The Rev. George B. Morgan of Christ church, New Haven, Conn., was elected.

THE COLORADO SPECIAL.

One Night to Denver.

Via Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern Line. Leaves daily 10:15 a. m., through without change. Another fast train leaves daily 11:35 p. m. The best of everything. Ticket offices, 212 Clark street (Tel. Cent. 721) and Wells Street Station.

CALLS CHICAGO A LAWLESS CITY.

Ald. Mayor Says It Is Worst Place in the World for Violating Statutes.

BEST CITIZENS OFFEND.

Chief O'Neill Will Round Up Lodging House Tramps and Drive Out Thugs.

A few hangings are what Chicago needs.

There are policemen enough to patrol the city if they were active.

Without more respect for law it would be impossible to preserve order if there were a policeman for every thug.

Chicago is the most lawless city in the country and a wave of anarchy and outlawry seems to be going over it at present.

No one respects law; no one respects the courts; the courts don't respect themselves. By their methods cases are not disposed of but piled up.

Even the respectable Chicago citizen violates the laws constantly, heedlessly, and almost unconsciously. When he tries to violate them he has no equal.

The foregoing analysis of conditions in Chicago was made by Ald. William Mavor yesterday. Mr. Mavor is chairman of the finance committee and the man who directs the appropriation of money for the various city departments. Responsibility for the unsafe condition of the streets at night, he said, could not be charged to the smallness of the police force.

He referred to the reports of the municipal bureau of statistics for proof that Chicago has as many policemen in proportion to population as other cities.

The reason for criminal conditions, he said, is to be found in the peculiar disregard for law which prevails throughout the city.

More Police than Needed.

"In my ward, the Sixth, we have more policemen than we need," said the alderman. "I went to the mayor and suggested that he take ten out and give us more garbage wagons, but he said that we'd better let the men stay. There are forty traveling beats in the ward.

"There are plenty of policemen or they would be enough in a town where law had some respect. Even if they were not sufficient they are all that can be employed.

"A little more activity on their part and the severe punishment of the thugs when captured would clear the atmosphere in Chicago. Just at present conditions look worse because there is a wave of anarchy and outlawry going over the city. A few hangings will remedy this.

"Until there is more respect for law there will be little safety for citizens, and an increase in the number of policemen would not preserve order. The present force and the courts could remedy things by working together."

Comparison with Other Cities.

The reports of the city statistician do not bear out the alderman's contention altogether. They show that New York, with an estimated population of 3,583,000, an area of 326 square miles, and 2,572 miles of streets, has a police force of 7,400 men.

Chicago, with a population of 1,800,000, an area of 191 square miles, and 4,163 miles of streets, has a force of 2,963 men. New York, with not double the population, not double the area, and about half the miles of streets, has nearly three times the number of policemen.

Philadelphia, with a population of 1,335,000, an area of 132 square miles, and 1,540 miles of street, has 2,552 men in the police department—a comparison which shows Chicago more nearly on an equal footing.

Flying Squadron to Be Tried.

Chief O'Neill said that the mayor's idea of having a flying squadron for a campaign against thugs was entirely feasible and would be adopted.

"We intend to go as far as the law permits and maybe a shade beyond it," said the chief. "I am satisfied that most of the holdups are done by tramps living in lodging houses. They will be given the alternative of working or getting out of Chicago.

"As soon as the municipal lodging house is open, which will be within a few days, the new system will be put in operation.

"I have instructed the inspectors to prepare for a thorough round up of the lodging houses. The inmates are to be searched for concealed weapons and the class of men who are attracted every year to Chicago will be disarmed at least.

"The municipal lodging house has the faculty of differentiating between men who will work and men who will steal. There are a few who will work and rob too. The thugs are the men we are after and we intend to get them out of Chicago some way or other."

BRIDAL JOKE CAUSES SURPRISE.

Mourning Streamers and Baby Carriage Hung to Vehicle in Which Couple Drive Downtown.

Seated in a carriage draped in mourning, a baby carriage suspended from the rear axle, and the windows broken by old shoes thrown by friends after leaving the church Joseph Scheubert and his bride attracted attention as they drove through the streets in the downtown district last night to the Edelweiss restaurant, where they partook of a wedding supper. Scheubert, who is a saloonkeeper at 551 South Halsted street, was married yesterday to Miss Hagemann, Sixteenth and Spring streets, at St. Francis' church. The prank was played by Ald. Henry Fick and others. The bride is a sister of Detective Hagemann.

SUITS FOR PARK LAND FILED.

Beginning of Condemnation Proceedings Involving $1,000,000 Is Reported to the South Board.

The filing of three condemnation suits was reported to the South park board at its meeting yesterday. The suits, for the possession of property to be utilized for sites for small parks, are a forerunner of condemnation proceedings which will approximate $1,000,000 before title is obtained on all the property sought by the committee on new parks. These concern property bounded by Twenty-ninth street, Thirtieth street, Halsted street, and Poplar avenue; Forty-seventh street, Forty-eighth street, Atlantic street, and Hermitage avenue, and a tract of land in South Chicago.

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT BEES.

Northwestern Association of Apiarists Begins Three Days' Session at the Revere House.

The Northwestern Beekeepers' association yesterday began a three days' session at the Revere house, with delegates in attendance from most of the central states. Exhibits of devices of use to beekeepers were shown and methods for the production of honey were discussed. One of the principal questions under consideration was that of destroying foul broods, and a committee was appointed to formulate a law giving state inspectors power to enter upon premises where such broods exist and destroy them.

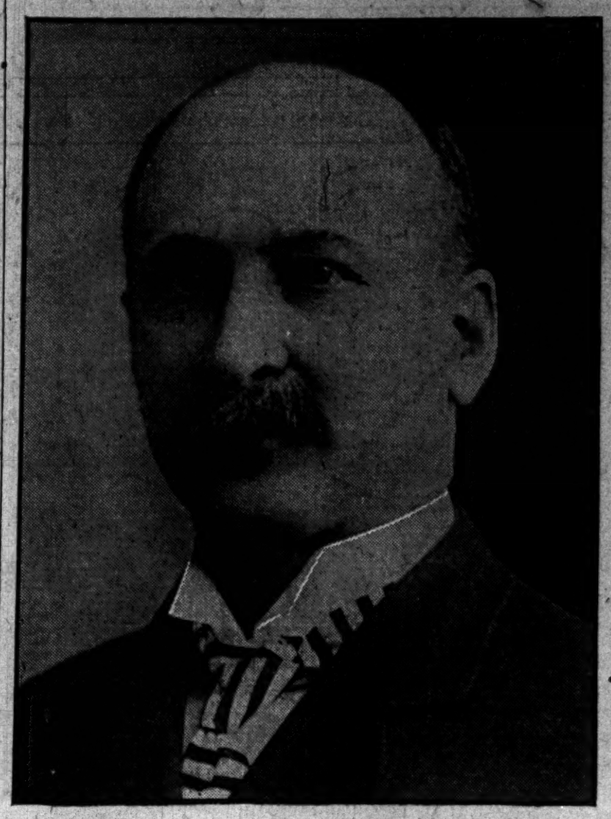
Hubert F. Root of Minona, O., spoke on "Rendering Beeswax from Combs."

LOW RATES TO THE SOUTHWEST

Via the Wabash.

On Dec. 8 the Wabash will sell special homeseekers' tickets to Arkansas, Texas, Indian and Oklahoma territories, at $20 for the round trip. Write for time cards and full details. City ticket office, 97 Adams street, Chicago.

LAWYER SHOT DOWN BY A HOLDUP MAN.



JAMES A. FULLENWIDER.

James A. Fullenwider, who was fatally wounded last evening by one of two holdup men at Forty-first street and Wabash avenue, has been a practicing attorney in Chicago since 1879, having an office with Alfred D. Eddy in the Fisher building. He was born near Bloomington forty-seven years ago, and was graduated from the Michigan university law school. He has been a trustee of the Forty-first Street Presbyterian church for a number of years. Mr. Fullenwider has a wife and a 15 year old daughter, Irene. Dr. J. B. Murphy, who operated on the wounded attorney at the Mercy hospital last night, said there was little hope that he would recover.

BANDITS FIND NEW LEVEL

DISCOVER THAT THERE ARE NO HEROES IN JAIL.

No Better Now than "Cheap Thieves" in Neighboring Cells and Discovery Displeases Them—Inquests on Detectives Quinn and Driscoll Will Be Held on Saturday Morning—Funeral of Latter Tomorrow in Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

The car barn robbers have been put in obscurity by Sheriff Barrett and Jailer Whitman, into whose custody the quartet passed Monday afternoon. The prisoners are beginning to chafe under the monotony of jail life.

"We don't seem to cut any more figure over here than the cheapest brass thief," Neidermeier declared regretfully yesterday. "I wish I was back at Harrison street, where we were in it every hour of the day."

The prisoner appeared to think that his presence among the other prisoners on the tier ought to have been appreciated by them, but in this he was disappointed. The "cheap thieves" around him smiled pityingly, and finally one of them said:

"What do you think this is? A side show? There ain't nobody scared of you around here, and you'd better not get too fresh."

Visitors Are Excluded.

"Positively no one admitted to see the car barn robbers," was the text of a notice posted in the sheriff's office by Sheriff Barrett in the morning.

"That notice means that the robbers are no longer on dress parade," said Mr. Barrett. "Mr. Whitman has put them in the same category as his other charges, and is treating them accordingly."

Arrangements for disposing of the cases against Marx have begun. William A. Morrow and George M. Popham, his attorneys, had a conference with Assistant State's Attorney Olson yesterday afternoon, and some proceedings will be had this week.

The inquests on Detectives Quinn and Driscoll will be held Saturday morning.

The funeral of Driscoll will take place tomorrow morning, with services at the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Wellington and Bissell streets. A company of police from the north side division, led by Assistant Chief Schuettler and Inspector Campbell, will attend.

Money for Victims' Families.

At a largely attended massmeeting Tuesday evening the citizens of the Twenty-fifth ward inaugurated a movement towards raising a testimonial fund for the widows and children of the murdered policemen. Committees were appointed to solicit funds, and plans for an entertainment to be held in Lincoln Turner hall after the holidays were made.

Additions were made to the mayor's fund, the total received up to last evening reaching $627. One contribution was $100 from William Kent.

SAYS DUGOUT WAS STOLEN.

Indiana Man Makes Trouble for Dime Museum Proprietors by Coming with Warrant.

Armed with an Indiana state warrant, and accompanied by a constable, John H. Ansbro, who says he is the owner of the dugout in which the street car bandits were surprised, near Miller's station, last Friday morning, came to Chicago yesterday to recover the dugout.

Since last Saturday the dugout has been on exhibition at a museum on Clark street, where it has enabled museum managers to reap a harvest of dimes from curiosity seekers. Ansbro, who dwelt in the structure of which the dugout was the cellar until fire destroyed the building, alleges that the museum men carried the dugout away in the night, and, in the warrant which he swore out before Judge Hembroff of Hammond, he charged Manager Paul House with grand larceny.

The constable threatened to seize the dugout, but it was discovered that the management had caused the dugout to be attached for debt by one of the employés. Finally, the owner of the dugout and the manager agreed on terms and the dugout was purchased by the museum.

CAUSES A ROW IN A THEATER.

C. E. Knapp Resents Refusal to Exchange Ticket and Is Arrested After Struggle.

When the Grand Opera house ticket seller refused to exchange seat coupons he had bought, C. E. Knapp, 685 Fiftieth street, is alleged last evening to have created a disturbance. He was arrested after a struggle. Knapp is a mining speculator, with offices at 1101 Fisher building.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

Chicago-Grand Rapids Line.

Via Kalamazoo. Trains leave Chicago 6:45 a. m., 12:55 noon, 5 p. m., and 12 night. Through sleepers and parlor cars. City ticket office, 119 Adams street. Tel. Har. 3570.

MAY INDICT A COMBINE.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING PLUMBERS' SUPPLY HOUSES.

Charge Is Conspiracy in Restraint of Trade and Will Be Based on Allegations and Evidence Collected by W. S. Moore, Who Declares Federal Company Is Member of a "Pool"—Fact of Agreement Must Be Proved Before Action Is Taken.

Indictments charging conspiracy in restraint of trade may be voted by the grand jury today against the members of the so-called plumbers' supply trust. The charges will be similar to those made against the officers and members of the Sheet Metal Contractors' association several months ago on the evidence of E. A. Rysdon.

The present inquiry centers on charges made by W. S. Moore Jr. of Evanston, a master plumber, in which he declares that the Federal company is a member of a pool with many other plumbing supply houses, and that, because of discriminations made against him by this alleged combine, his business was injured.

Although the investigation started on a charge of perjury against the officers of the Federal company, it has broadened into a general inquiry into the operations of the Chicago supply houses.

Juror Hints at Indictments.

"It appears as though Moore will be able to establish the fact of a combine," said a member of the grand jury yesterday. "We shall complete the investigation before we take up any other business, and while I can not say in advance of hearing all of the evidence what the jury will do, I now think the chances of indictments are not remote."

What the prosecution must establish before indictments for conspiracy in restraint of trade can be voted, is the fact of an agreement among the supply houses by which they fix prices on their wares, and so operate as to abolish competition among them. Moore has filed an abstract of his evidence.

What Moore Proposes to Show.

What Moore proposes to show to the grand jury is outlined as follows:

That there are two combinations of supply houses working in conjunction to throttle competition, one of which, a Chicago pool, controls the sale of general plumbing fixtures and supplies in Cook county, and the other controls the sale of brass goods in the west.

That the several members of the pool pay into a general fund certain percentages of their gross earnings, which fund is distributed among the members of the combine to equalize profits.

A system of penalties for cutting prices and for selling to nonmembers also is alleged.

GROCERY TO HAVE BRANCHES.

Charles H. Slack Preparing to Open Ten or Fifteen Stores in Various Quarters of City.

Charles H. Slack is preparing to establish a system of retail grocery stores through Chicago and its larger suburbs. To further the plan the grocer yesterday incorporated the Charles H. Slack company, with a capital of $250,000.

The incorporators were Mr. Slack, Harrison Musgrave, and James B. Gascoigne. For the thirty years he has been in the grocery business in Chicago Mr. Slack has conducted his enterprise as an individual proprietor.

"I incorporated my business," said he last night, "in order to increase it. I have not yet decided upon the number of stores to open in different quarters of the city and in the suburbs, but presume there will be from ten to fifteen."

INDICATION OF MURDER FOUND.

A. Kramer, Who Was Found Dead in Kensington, May Have Been Killed for Money.

Evidence which points to a possible murder was brought to light yesterday at the inquest held over the body of A. Kramer, 173 East Twenty-third street, who was found dead with a revolver in his hands at Ninety-eighth street and Michigan avenue. There was a bullet wound in the man's right temple. It developed that Kramer, who at one time had been employed as a waiter in a café in Monroe street, had left the rooms of a friend, Phillip Lippert, 14 Custom House place, Sunday evening with a large sum of money. The police believe he may have been murdered and the revolver placed in his hand.

FRIENDLY TO SCHOOL BOARD.

Mrs. O. T. Bright Says She Plans a Friendly Suit in Co-operation with Trustees.

Mrs. O. T. Bright, secretary of the School Extension society, says that her statement to the La Grange Woman's club, reported by the City Press association, was not intended to be hostile to the board of education. She says that, instead of planning a suit against the board to compel it to allow the use of rooms for boys' clubs, "the board of education might see fit to concur in the filing of a friendly suit to test the law."

NEW BOODLE CASES IN GRAND RAPIDS.

Scandals in Traction Franchise and City Lighting Plant Are Due.

PLAN TO LOOT THE TOWN.

Attorneys Likely to Begin Fresh Lead When Lant K. Salsbury Takes Stand Today.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—New chapters in Grand Rapids' boodle story will be started tomorrow, it is said, when Attorney Walker resumes his cross examination of Lant K. Salsbury. These chapters concern street railway franchises and an alleged plan of Salsbury's to sell the municipal lighting plant of this city.

It is said that Salsbury had a plan to create a prejudice against the plant, on the ground that it was expensive and poorly managed, and to have a bill passed by the legislature to allow the board of public works to sell it. His plan, it is said, included the purchase of the plant by a stock company to be organized and a subsequent consolidation with the Edison company and two water power companies in this vicinity.

Have Additional Confession.

It is said that William Leonard, who is charged with having delivered $1,250 to Garman, the prosecution's star witness, when Salsbury was convicted two years ago, has made a statement to the prosecution regarding that matter.

Prosecutor Ward said this evening: "We have evidence in a number of our cases to corroborate the story told by Salsbury. We are perfectly satisfied of the truth of every detail of the story related by Salsbury, and have reason to believe that his sworn statement alone would justify the issuance of warrants."

Says Five Will Plead Guilty.

Attorney John McDonald's announcement that he expected five of his clients to plead guilty in the Superior court was the principal development in the water plant boodle scandal today. The five men referred to by the attorney appeared before the police magistrate and waived examination to the higher court. It is generally understood that those who plead guilty of accepting bribes will be punished by fines and no imprisonment, and that they will be used as witnesses by the prosecution in the cases of those of the accused city officials who insist upon having trials.

The five men who waived examination today are: Ex-Ald. John Donovan, Clark E. Slocum, John McLachlan, Reyner Stonehouse, and Cory P. Bissell, a former member of the board of work. Ex-Ald. Lozier, it is said, will waive examination tomorrow, but Ald. Johnson of the Seventh ward will insist upon an examination in the lower court.

Salsbury was confined to his bed at his home all day today, suffering from nervous prostration, and in consequence the examination in the case of Ald. Ellen of the First ward was postponed until tomorrow morning.

More Warrants Expected.

It was reported this evening that if Salsbury does not take the witness stand tomorrow, warrants will be issued for the arrest for some of those implicated by Salsbury in the conspiracy part of the deal, and it was partly confirmed by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Ward, who has the cases in hand.

EXPLAIN COLLEGE AFFAIR.

Board of Trustees at Raleigh, N. C., Tell Why They Decline to Accept Resignation of Prof. Bassett.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The trustees of Trinity college here, who voted 18 to 7 not to accept the resignation of Prof. Bassett, teacher of history in the college, because of personal views expressed by him in the News and Observer, have issued an explanation for their refusal.

They declare Prof. Bassett was coerced into the action he took, while his expressions were in no sense official, and that he did not represent them as such. The trustees also assert that while the opinions expressed are unanimously condemned by the student body, both the faculty and the students have expressed a desire that the resignation be not accepted. The board finds there is no question as to Prof. Bassett's moral qualifications, his scholarly fitness, his competency as a teacher, or his command of the confidence of his classes.

The explanation closes with the assertion: "We state as a fact that Prof. Bassett does not believe in nor teach social equality, and we have confidence in him both as a man and a teacher."

Prof. Bassett was quoted as saying that Booker T. Washington was the greatest man the south had ever known, excepting, possibly, Gen. Lee.

MRS. ARTHUR ALDIS BETTER.

Recovering from Attack of Pneumonia, but Will Not Be Out for Several Weeks.

Mrs. Arthur T. Aldis, who has been ill with pneumonia, was much improved last night. The physician who is attending her said the danger was past, but that it would be several weeks before Mrs. Aldis could go out.

About Fear

Often Caused by Lack of Right Food

Napoleon said that the best fed soldiers were his best soldiers, for fear and nervousness come quickly when the stomach is not nourished. Nervous fear is a sure sign that the body is not supplied with the right food.

A Connecticut lady says: "For many years I had been a sufferer from indigestion and heart trouble and in almost constant fear of sudden death, the most acute suffering possible. Dieting brought on weakness, emaciation and nervous exhaustion and I was a complete wreck physically and almost a wreck mentally.

"I tried many foods but could not avoid the terrible nausea followed by vomiting that came after eating until I tried Grape-Nuts. This food agreed with my palate and stomach from the start. This was about a year ago. Steadily and surely a change from sickness to health came until now I have no symptoms of dyspepsia and can walk 10 miles a day without being greatly fatigued. I have not taken a drop of medicine since I began the use of Grape-Nuts and people say I look many years younger than I really am.

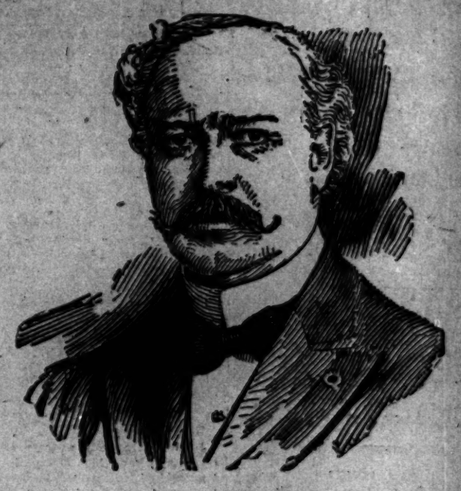
"My poor old sick body has been made over and I feel as though my head has been, too. Life is worth living now and I expect to enjoy it for many years to come if I keep away from bad foods and have Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

VARICOCELE HYDROCELE

CURED IN 5 DAYS.



H. J. TILLOTSON, M. D.

The Master Specialist of Chicago, who cures men only, who sees patients personally. Established 1880.

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Talk to Men Afflicted with Pelvic Diseases.

I have a direct personal message to every man afflicted with Pelvic disease or weakness peculiar to his sex.

I want to talk especially with the man who has dosed himself with patent remedies, or free trial samples. I want to talk with the man who has been using Belts, Electro-Medical Combinations, or similar devices.

If this has been your unhappy experience, you are cordially invited to come to my office, where I will fully and freely explain to you why such treatment has not cured you, and when I will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction why I can cure you safely, quickly, and permanently. My counsel is free.

Certainty of cure is what you want, and what I am prepared to warrant you. I can and will cite you, by permission, to men whom I have recently cured and made happy, among them some of the most prominent and influential citizens of Chicago and vicinity.

I treat diseases of men, MEN ONLY, and cure them to stay cured.

Varicocele

Surgery seldom cures it, but always weakens.

I daily demonstrate that Varicocele can be positively cured without cutting, burning, tying, or any other form of operation.

Instead of vital parts being maimed and injured, they are preserved and strengthened, pain ceases entirely and almost instantly, swelling subsides, healthy circulation is rapidly re-established, and every part of the organism affected is thoroughly restored.

Hydrocele

My treatment of Hydrocele and its associate conditions is original with me, and obtainable exclusively only at my hands. You are no doubt familiar with some of the tedious, painful, and surgical methods of old-time treatment. I have investigated all of them. To do my important work I have spent thousands of dollars with a special view of knowing all that is to be known about Hydrocele.

I cure Hydrocele and its complications within five days WITHOUT PAIN, WITHOUT KNIFE, WITHOUT DETENTION FROM BUSINESS; CURING TO STAY CURED under bank guarantee.

Rupture

Disregard of existing rupture has cost many human lives. Strangulation of the bowels and old-time methods of operating with the knife have contributed to this fatality. My methods obviate this and cure with absolute certainty and safety, and entail no suffering. The smallest hernias are the most dangerous to life, because of the increased liability to strangulation.

Blood Poison

Prompt and heroic treatment is the only kind that should ever be used in combating this disease.

Only temporary relief can come from hot spring baths, specifics, mercury, potash, or other minerals mixtures and poisons.

I have originated and perfected a cure for Blood Poison that is absolutely safe, rapid, and permanent, and leaves no injurious effects.

Every external symptom soon disappears, while the blood, the tissues, the nerve fibers, the bones, and the whole system are cleansed, strengthened, and restored to perfect health and purity.

Nervo-Vital Debility

CEREBRAL—When the mental forces are impaired.

SPINAL—When the spinal centers are involved and motor power is diminished.

VITAL—When the Great Sympathetic Nervous System is affected and the forces that govern the organs of life are reduced by the baneful reflex effects of disease incident to the organs of the pelvis.

No one afflicted with Nervo-Vital Debility in any of its forms should despair after failure to obtain satisfactory results from inferior treatment. My method rid you of the main malady which underlies nervous disease and disturbance, and I am able to restore you to enviable health and strength. Every case is a personal study with me, and I invariably modify my treatment to answer the requirements in individual cases.

I cure all weakness induced by specific nervous complaints and put you on the right track to complete health or restore the conditions essential to your future life and happiness.

Associate Diseases

In curing a disease of any kind I never fail to remove all reflex complications. In the case of Varicocele or Hydrocele the weakness caused by it disappears. If it has developed into Prostatic, Bladder, or Kidney affections the injured parts are all restored to a perfect, healthful condition. If it is Blood Poison, all Skin, Blood, and Bone diseases arising from the taint are entirely and permanently eliminated from the system. If it is Nervous Debility, the many distressing symptoms following in its train, and indicating a decline of physical and mental power, are totally removed and rapidly replaced by the energy of robust manhood. Hence, all resulting ills and reflex complications, which may be properly termed associate diseases, and which, in fact, are often more serious than the original ailment that gives rise to them—all, I say, disappear completely and forever with the cure of the main malady.

New Books

My latest medical publication, embracing a scientific, yet simple discussion of Male Pelvic Diseases and the best methods of curing them, will be sent free upon application.

Correspondence

If you cannot visit me personally, write symptoms that trouble you most.

A vast majority of cases can be cured by my system of home treatment which is the most successful system ever devised.

I make no charge for private counsel and give to each patient a legal contract in writing, backed by abundant capital, to hold for my promise.

Physicians having stubborn cases to treat are cordially invited to consult with me.

My Reception Rooms

are open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., but my hours for consultation are daily from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.; Sundays from 9:30 to 1 only.

CERTAINTY OF CURE is what you want. I give a legal guarantee to cure or refund your money. What I have done for others I can do for you.

MY CHARGES for a perfect cure are reasonable, and no more than you are willing to pay for successful treatment of your case.

H. J. TILLOTSON, M. D.

84 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

JUDGE ARRAIGNS "SLUGGING" GANGS

"Blot on Civilization," Declares Holdom in the Pressfeeders' Case.

TALKS TO UNION LEADERS

Helpless Girls and Women Victims of Violence of Franklin Pickets.

"Education committees and slugging gangs," as sent out by Franklin union No. 4 of No. 4 of pressfeeders were bitterly assailed yesterday by Judge Jesse Holdom as "a blot on civilization" and "a disgrace to Chicago." His denunciation was handed down in an ex parte opinion on the contempt cases against the men which come up for a final hearing this morning.

The Chicago Typothetæ, the association of employers, hopes to have Judge Holdom hold the union as an organization guilty of the acts of violence that have marked the strike of the men. All of the evidence in the case now is in, and it was at the close of the examination of witnesses that the union was assailed from the bench.

"Every act of violence that is within the ingenuity of lawless men, from opprobrious epithets to the use of bullets, has marked the course of this civil strife," said the judge in ordering the attorneys to prepare briefs and submit them today.

Rights of Citizens Attacked.

"It is wrong," he continued, "that persons employed by a nonunion party, who desire to work from day to day, are not permitted to do it; that they walk about in this community as citizens do in a city where there is a revolution; that they meet not only insult but physical violence, as they have by pickets in this particular strike or lockout, whatever you may term it, from its inception to the present time.

"It is not commendable to any one engaged in it in the remotest degree. Neither the president, nor secretary, nor the officers of Franklin union No. 4 can shift the full responsibility resting upon them as being the fountain head from which all this struggle emanated. Morally, they are chargeable."

Rebukes the Union Leaders.

The judge then turned toward the officers of the union and took them to task.

"But you cannot shirk it, not one of you, so far as the morality of the matter is concerned," the court continued. "In any intelligent community you cannot be allowed to excuse yourself. We have here the violence of these pickets and the rights of these citizens when intimidated—for girls and women have been intimidated. We find no holding up of hands of one of these officers or of one of these members of the union in protest at these acts which should make every good citizen bow his head in shame. I did not think it possible that there could be such acts committed in this community, in the twentieth century."

Hints at Contempt Decision.

In closing his remarks the judge said that while he was "strongly of the opinon" to hold the Franklin union guilty of contempt in the acts of violence that have been committed, yet he might change his mind on further arguments. On that account he ordered the attorneys to prepare briefs and make a final argument at 11 o'clock today.

The counsel for the Typothetæ, A. H. Weseman, declared that the case against the Franklin union is the first of its kind in the country. By its plea the Typothetæ hopes to have the entire union, which is incorporated, held for contempt and fined. It bases its contention on the allegation that the union is responsible for the acts of its officers and its agents.

The attorney for the union, John Bloomington, asserted that the organization of the men has had no control over those guilty of assaulting nonunion workmen, that it has not ordered any acts of violence, and that it is not responsible for what has occurred.

It was the intention of the attorney for the Typothetæ to have President C. P. Woerner and Secretary John M. Shea of the union held as individuals, but Judge Holdom ruled out the case.

Nonunion Man Is Kidnaped.

The strike of the International Ladies' Garments Workers against Hoffheimer & Strassburger, 216 Van Buren street, resulted yesterday in an attempt at kidnaping. At noon, Michel Sokel, a nonunion cutter, left the factory and immediately was pursued by pickets. He fled east to Fifth avenue, where he was caught by five men and told that he was under arrest. Sokel's captors took him toward the union headquarters at 167 Washington street.

Sokel demanded that they allow him to see a friend at 92 La Salle street and permission reluctantly was given. While in an office there he telephoned for help, which was sent him by Secretary Victor Sincere of the Employers' association. When assistance arrived the building was found surrounded by union men who had to be driven away. On leaving Sokel identified two of his captors, Lewis Rothschild and Charles Grossman, who were made defendants in Judge Caverly's court on charges of disorderly conduct.

MAHON AGAIN IS IN CONTROL.

Strike Leader Comes to Chicago to Aid in Enforcing Street Car Peace Terms.

International President W. D. Mahon of the Amalgamated Street and Electric Railway Employes yesterday arrived in Chicago and resumed control of the situation on the lines of the Chicago City railway. He called a meeting of the local leaders and they told him that General Manager McCulloch was not living up to the peace agreement. Afterwards he visited Attorney E. R. Bliss of the company and protested against the alleged tactics of Manager McCulloch. It was asserted that eighty men have not been reinstated and that the management is violating the agreement.

Attorney Bliss denied the allegations and maintained that only twenty men were not employed and that warrants charging violence had been sworn out against only fifteen men. He told Mahon that he would investigate and give an answer today.

Representatives of the National Stove Founders' Defense association, the national organization of manufacturers, met with the officers of the Metal Polishers' union at the Auditorium hotel yesterday to arrange a new schedule of hours to affect 5,000 members of the labor union. The men demand a nine hour work day.

Business Agent Charles Rau of the Steamfitters' Protective association is looking for George Ade. Somewhere, he can't locate the place. Rau heard that the young author and playwright is building a house in Highland Park and is employing nonunion steamfitters. If the report proves to be correct Rau intends to ask Ade to discharge the men, and if he refuses a boycott is to be declared against Ade's books and plays.

CHICAGO GERMS NOT TO BLAME.

Evidence That Typhoid Epidemic at St. Louis Is Due to City's Failure to Collect Garbage.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 2.—Evidence is being collected by E. D. Reynolds of Rockford, Ill., one of Attorney General Hamlin's assistants, to show that the failure to collect garbage and other alleged insanitary conditions in St. Louis, and not the sewage alleged to be dumped into the Mississippi by the Chicago drainage canal, is responsible for typhoid fever here.

Only 21 Days to Christmas.

Your boy wants a Christmas watch. Best made on easy payments. Loftis Bros. & Co., 92 State-st.

CUT WAGES; OTHERS BUSY

RETRENCHMENTS CONTRASTED WITH RENEWED INDUSTRY.

Marked Revival from Dull Period Recorded in a Number of Lines, While New Economies Are Found in Others—Michigan Mines, Railway and Steel Trust Save — Plants Around Pittsburg Open with Double Shifts—Shingle Mills Stay Open.

The wave of retrenchment in the big industrial plants of the country is being met by a marked revival in many sections, particularly in the iron trade, where mills that were shut down recently have been opened, in some cases for both day and night shifts. There have been other reductions as well in various parts of the country. The retrenchments and renewals announced yesterday are as follows:

RETRENCHMENTS.

BESSEMER, Mich.—Three hundred and fifty men struck at the Sunday Lake and Brotherton mines at Wakefield. The operators reduced wages Dec. 1, and, in view of the strike, have closed down the mines for the winter.

READING, PA.—The men in the blacksmith department of the Reading railway company's car shops were notified that their day's work would be ten hours hereafter instead of eight. The storehouse employés were today put on full time. These two orders affect 200 hands.

JOLIET, ILL.—A reduction of from 5 to 10 per cent in wages was ordered in the wire mills of the United States Steel company, affecting 1,000 men.

RENEWALS.

PITTSBURG, PA.—The present indications are that within a week or ten days nearly every industry in Braddock, Homestead, and the Turtle Creek valley will be working double time with a full complement of men. The twenty-eight inch mill of the Homestead works has resumed after being shut down for several weeks, and every other department in the Homestead works, with the exception of the converting and 128 inch mill, undergoing repairs, is now running. The Howard axle works will resume in full next week, and many of the men who were laid off recently at the Mesta Machine company's plant in West Homestead are being called back to work, as orders are fast accumulating. Nearly all of the 1,000 men laid off several weeks ago at the Westinghouse Electric company's plant in East Pittsburg are again at work, and many others are being hired. At Wilmerding the majority of the men suspended recently in the Westinghouse Air Brakes company's plant have resumed work, and the shops are assured steady work for the next year. The Standard Chain company's plant at Braddock, and many of the smaller manufacturing concerns that have been shut down for the last two weeks are preparing to resume work.

MONESSEN, PA.—After a month's idleness the rod mill, field fence, and nail departments and the finishing mills of the Pittsburg Steel company resumed today, giving employment to over 1,500 men.

CALUMET, MICH.—Late developments indicate that the shingle mills of Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota may not close this winter. The Wolverine Cedar and Lumber company will start operations at Northland this week at a new scale of wages agreed upon by the Shingle Weavers' union and the company.

See Peace in Mitchell.

Trinidad, Colo., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—John Mitchell arrived tonight to take control of the coal strike situation, and his coming was the occasion for a greeting such as few persons have ever received in Colorado. It is believed that he will be able to bring the coal strike to a satisfactory conclusion, and over 3,000 men, women, and children greeted him at the station.

Thousands Surround Carriage.

As Mr. Mitchell stepped from the train a squad of thirty policemen surrounded him to keep back the crowd which was pressing to get a glimpse of him. One thousand miners surrounded the carriage containing Mr. Mitchell, John F. Ream, representative of Mr. Mitchell; President Howells of District No. 15, and escorted them to the hotel.

The town had a holiday appearance, and all business was practically suspended for the day.

Tonight a secret conference was held, those present being Mr. Mitchell and the members of the national board who are here, officials of district No. 15, and the presidents of the various miners' unions. Nothing was given out.

The United Mineworkers' officials in Trinidad are preparing a circular letter to the coal operators, asking them to meet the miners who were in their employ in conference without reference to the officials or organizers of the unions. This letter is believed to be a move in the direction of ending the strike.

More Troops at Cripple Creek.

Cripple Creek, Colo., Dec. 2.—The military force in this district was further increased today. Union miners have organized a committee of safety, the purpose of which is to protect and defend union members should any attempt be made to drive them out of the district.

Miners Protest to Roosevelt.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 2.—The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners has sent a telegram to President Roosevelt, protesting against strikers being ordered out of Telluride.

Not Likely to Interfere.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—President Roosevelt today received the telegram from the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners. It is said the matter is in the hands of the state authorities of Colorado, and that it does not appear at this time that the federal government, through the president, properly can take action on it. The secretary of war, who has been consulted by the Colorado authorities, has expressed the opinion that the government cannot interfere legally in the trouble in the Telluride district at the present juncture.

No Need of Federal Troops.

Maj. Gen. J. C. Bates, who was sent to Colorado to investigate the disturbances in the Cripple Creek and Telluride mining districts, has submitted his report to Lieut. Gen. Young, the chief of staff of the army. He says he sees no need for federal troops.

Notes of the Labor World.

Coal miners at Spring Hill, N. J., struck over the method of measuring; about 1,500 union men are out.

Vice President Lewis of the miners' union said yesterday that he doubted the report of a wholesale wage reduction for miners in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and western Pennsylvania.

Precipes in fifteen suits against the Ellsworth Coal company, alleging violations of the alien contract labor law in bringing Welsh miners to this country, were filed in Pittsburg yesterday.

HARRY LEHR IMITATES ACTRESS

Presence in Washington Theater Explained as Due to Desire to Copy Fay Templeton at Masque Ball.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Harry Lehr of New York has been in the audience which saw "The Runaways" here for two nights. It is said he is here for the purpose of studying Miss Fay Templeton in her imitations with a view to reproducing them at a coming society masque ball. It is thought the ball in question is the annual function given by Mrs. Astor. Miss Templeton refused to say anything about the report tonight, either in affirmation or denial. It is understood, however, that Miss Templeton is coaching Lehr both in private and through his presence in her audience to reproduce some of her famous imitations of well known actresses.

FIELD TO ENTER NEW ORLEANS?

Report in That City Says He Is to Buy Opera House for Store—Denied in Chicago.

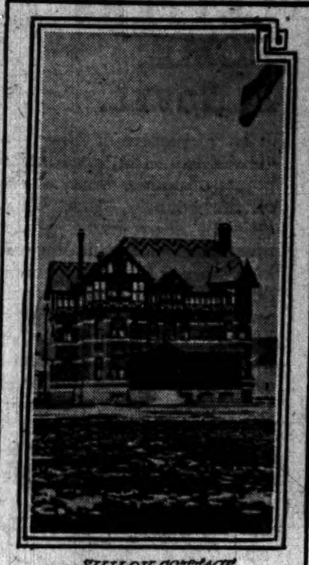
New Orleans, La., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—It is declared that Marshall Field of Chicago is likely to buy the Grand opera house and convert it into a department store. Those responsible for the rumor say he is bidding against independent theatrical combinations for the place.

Both Robert M. Fair and Harry G. Selfridge last night denied that Mr. Field was engaged in any transaction in New Orleans. They said there was no basis for the report.

California, Oregon, and Washington.

Two fast trains every day via Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern Line. The luxuriously appointed Overland Limited, electric lighted throughout, leaves 8 p. m. daily. A second fast California train leaves 11:35 p. m., Oregon and Washington at 10:30 p. m. Ticket offices, 212 Clark street (Tel. Cent. 721) and Wells Street Station.

DOWIE'S COTTAGE, HIS BANK, AND THE GOVERNMENT'S CUSTODIAN.



SHILOH COTTAGE. DOWIE'S HOME.

ZION CITY BANK

PAUL REDLISKE, FEDERAL CUSTODIAN ON DUTY

DOWIE CALLS FOR $500,000

PLEADS AND STORMS AT MASS-MEETING OF FOLLOWERS.

Contribution Taken Up and Sum Raised Supposed to Be Less than $1,000—New Claimants Appear and Ask to Be Admitted as Parties to Bankruptcy Proceedings — Preliminary Investigation Indicates That Receivership Will Last Many Months.

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all these claims are filed they will treble the prophet's liabilities. Whether these followers will have the temerity to file claims, or will rather lose their money than offend their leader, is not known.

Followers Trust Dowie.

While the attorneys were making these gloomy statements of the conditions Dowie's followers remained calm in their trust in Dowie.

"I will pay my obligations, dollar for dollar, before the first of the year, and shall have the affairs of Zion delivered from the receivership within five days," was the oracular announcement from the sanctum of the general overseer, and it flew from lip to lip of the faithful. And thus incipient doubt was stilled.

Dowie's lieutenants during the day had sealed lips for the public except in the matter of announcing contributions from the faithful.

"One man has just arrived from Wisconsin with $3,000 in cash for the general overseer," said Deacon Newcome, "and tonight he returns to obtain $4,700 more. Another man brought in $1,500, and a woman has just telephoned that she has arrived with $1,000. The money needed will soon all be contributed."

Receivers Visit the Industries.

Although the Zion officials announced the replenishing of the treasury by these amounts the receivers were busy spent the day looking for money with microscopes were ignorant of the contributions. It was shortly after 9 a. m. when the receivers formally took possession of the Zion industries. Elijah's carriage was placed at the disposal of Receiver Currier, Attorneys Becker, Levinson, Goodman, and Custodian Redieske for the tour of the institutions. Chief of Police Carl Stern conducted the party. At the lace works, the first place visited, the looms were clattering as usual. The 350 employés stopped to stare at the party passing through, and one man edged up to Custodian Redieske and inquired: "Say, when do we get our pay, now?"

The business of the printing house with its ninety employés was taken over, as was also that of the brick yard with forty hands, the general stores, 150 employés, and the hospices, 100 attendants.

Over two hours were consumed in the inspection, after which the party returned to the administration building. Dowie had preceded the receivers to the office. He received the representatives of his creditors and the court with an equanimity in marked contrast to his agitation of Tuesday night.

"You have founded a wonderful city here, Dr. Dowie," observed Receiver Currier, who dropped into a chair beside the restorer. Elijah sat at a long library table with his habitual air of grand state.

Thereupon the receivers and custodians succumbed to a dissertation by the general overseer on the extent of his institution. And that ended the first conference.

Statement for Receivers.

Receiver Currier, after six hours of work, left for Chicago.

"I am looking for information as much as you are," observed the receiver to the reporter, with a resignation which was significant.

When Attorney Becker adjourned the last conference with Dowie and General Financial Manager Barnard and left for Chicago he gave his verdict of the day's investigation as follows:

"There is such a vast amount of matter to examine that it will be several days before we can arrive at a general survey of the situation. We are having statements prepared beginning with the bank and the land investment company. I am satisfied that there are large values here in Zion. Dr. Dowie is confident he can pay 100 cents on the dollar. I am inclined to think it will be possible in time."

Orders Issued by Court.

V. V. Barnes, counsel for Dowie, together with Attorney Levinson, for the receivers, had taken an early train to Chicago to request Judge Kohlsaat to issue an order authorizing the receivers to operate the Zion industries and conserve the profits. The first result of this is that by an order of court, which Judge Kohlsaat will enter this morning, Dr. Dowie and his subordinates will be restored to the practical management of the Zion industries. They will serve, however, as the agents of Receivers Blount and Currier, who are in official control. This arrangement was one of the results of a conference held in the afternoon, and is based on the theory that the old managers of the several industries are better able to conduct them profitably.

All these arrangements are tentative, however, upon the ability of the receivers to conduct the industries at a profit. Should it be discovered that the industries cannot be operated on a paying basis they will be closed by order of court. In this trial the results will be estimated upon the operation of the industries as a whole. In the event one of them is found not to be profitable, it will be continued on for a time anyway, because of the interdependence of the several enterprises.

Injunction Against Suits.

Another move made by the receivers to conserve the estate and to prevent the dissipation of the properties among two-score of creditors was to secure an injunction against all of the complainants in the suits recently commenced in Lake county against Dowie from further prosecution of these suits. The claims so tied up aggregate $67,000. These claimants, although they may not sue Dowie, may by motion in court become parties to the bankruptcy proceedings.

The bank at Zion City will remain closed indefinitely, as will its Chicago branch at Twelfth street and Michigan avenue. This latter institution had been overlooked in the first search for assets, but was discovered in full operation yesterday afternoon. It was closed at once. The receivers also took possession of the hotel at Thirteenth street and Michigan avenue, on which Dowie has a leasehold.

The insurance question is one on which the attorneys for Zion and the representatives of the receivers differed. The receivers discovered that not a building in the entire city is insured, and demanded of the court that they be allowed to protect their bond of $100,000 by placing insurance. Attorney Barnes protested at what he declared was a needless expenditure of money.

"Our people do not smoke, and parlor matches are barred from our city," he said. "No one ever gets drunk and tips over the lamp, and there is really no danger from fire."

Trading Checks to Be Honored.

Words of cheer were carried back to the wage earners of Zion in the evening by Attorney Barnes, who was authorized to announce to them that the receivers will honor all trading checks now outstanding, and in the future will pay off the workers in the several institutions with cash.

The invasion of Zion by the receivers and the reporters caused such a state of excitement that Mayor R. H. Harper felt called upon to issue the following proclamation:

"Inasmuch as we have numerous strangers in our midst, let it be proclaimed that all Zion ordinances, especially those relating to smoking and drinking, shall continue in force and be rigidly enforced."

ON THEIR WAY TO AUSTRALIA.

Jane Dowie and Her Son Gladstone on Sea After Visits in London and Paris.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]
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LONDON, Dec. 2.—By this time Mrs. Jane Dowie and her son, Dr. A. J. Gladstone Dowie, probably are on their way to Australia. They arrived at the Hotel Russell in London on Nov. 2 and left on Nov. 10 for Paris, where they stopped at the Hotel Continental. It was their announced intention to sail from some port in France, presumably Marseilles, for Australia on Nov. 25.

In the party were Mrs. Dowie's secretary, Miss J. M. Stern, and a negro, Robert Massey, who acted as valet to Dr. Gladstone Dowie, and who used to impress the guests at the hotel by appearing every night in evening dress of the most fashionable cut.

The Dowies would not see anybody who called. They often went out, and one night they were attending the theater. They had a great quantity of baggage, some of it heavy, but not more heavy than the baggage of many American travelers. One thing noticed which was regarded as odd was that Dr. Dowie had with him a canvas bag which contained $500 in $20 gold pieces.

The party lived in style while at the Russel, and were liberal in their tips to employés. They were objects of the curiosity of persons in other portions of the hotel.

When the party arrived at Liverpool Gladstone Dowie waxed wroth with a reporter who asked him if it was true that he had brought a great sum of money with him from America. He refused to continue the conversation with other reporters until the inquisitive person had been ejected. While here in London both Dr. Gladstone Dowie and his mother gave a flat denial of the statements cabled from New York that they were taking away the money of Zion City.

FINDS LIFE OF SLAVERY IN THAT OF SWEATSHOPS.

Miss Annie MacLean, University of Chicago Sociologist, Writes of Her Experiences in Tenement Workrooms.

"When prosperity is dominant, it seems incongruous that thousands of citizens are in the thralldom of slavery more harassing than that banished by the civil war. The black slaves were sure of food and shelter, while the white industrial slaves lead a most precarious existence."

This characterization of the sweatshops of Chicago and their inhabitants is made by Miss Annie Marion MacLean, who spent last summer working in Chicago sweatshops, and who tells of her experiences in an article on "The Sweatshop in Summer," which appeared yesterday in The Journal of Sociology, published by the University of Chicago, at which she is an instructor.

Miss MacLean's first day's work consisted in sewing pockets for small boys' trousers. Six people worked in an unclean, small room, lighted by one window.

"I learned little from the workers," says Miss MacLean. "But I saw much. I saw a group of human beings working under conditions not fit for human beings; and I saw the mere pittance handed me for two days' toil."

Miss MacLean worked four days at 50 cents a day, making cotton wrappers in a tenement where the sleeping and working rooms were the same.

DISCREDIT PEACE RUMORS

LONDON UNABLE TO CONFIRM RUSSIAN-JAPANESE REPORT.

St. Petersburg Correspondent of Telegraph Ascribes to High Official the Opinion That Settlement Is Less Hopeful than It Has Been for Some Time—Chinese Envoy Said to Have Reached Kobe—Tokio Government Is Again Censured.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Dec. 3, 3 a. m.—Nowhere can confirmation be obtained of the rumor from Paris that Russia and Japan have reached an agreement on the Manchurian question, and the story is received skeptically here.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Telegraph ascribes to a responsible official there the opinion that the propects for peace are far less hopeful than they were a while ago.

The Daily Mail says it learns that Russia's unyielding resistance to the opening of Yongampho, in Corea, still blocks the settlement. The paper adds that the situation is acute and nearing a crisis.

The Standard doubts the authenticity of the Paris story and says it believes the position one of extreme delicacy and even danger.

Czar May Propose Arbitration.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Telegraph hints at the possibility that the czar at the eleventh hour will personally propose the arbitration of the Russo-Japanese dispute, adding, however, terms of reference that would in such a case be so defined as to eliminate everything touching the rights which the Russian statesmen regard as being impossible to submit to a third party without a loss of dignity.

Russian Warships Safe.

It is announced from St. Petersburg that the Russian armored cruiser Bayan and the battleship Tsarevitch had arrived at Port Arthur. Ever since Nov. 23 the report had been current that Japanese warships had been dispatched to prevent the Bayan and Tsarevitch reaching Port Arthur to join the Russian squadron there.

Chinese Envoy at Kobe.

A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Kobe says that Col. Tachibana, the military adviser of Yuan Shih Ki, the viceroy of the Chinese province of Chili, has arrived at Kobe with a confidential message to the authorities. The Mail deduces from this that China is throwing her lot with Japan.

St. Petersburg Officials Depressed.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the National Zeitung describes the diplomatists there as being depressed and extremely uneasy concerning the internal condition of Russia. Several junior members of the diplomatic body have been investigating the situation with great care, and met with great difficulties in the performance of their task. They ascertained that the state of ferment and agitation was such that serious troubles are probable during the winter. The correspondent adds that the ambassadors regarded their information to be sufficiently trustworthy and important to forward official reports on the subject to their respective governments.

Progressives Censure Government.

TOKIO, Dec. 2.—The progressive party, which is the strongest in Japan after the constitutional party, has adopted a resolution similar to the one adopted by the Constitutional association yesterday denouncing the delay in negotiations between Russia and Japan and urging that they be hastened, but the progressives' resolution is more strongly worded. It denounces the government's weakened diplomacy, which, it declares, has brought the country into universal contempt. It also demands that the principal ports of Manchuria be opened to trade. There are signs that the two parties under the stress of the crisis may possibly cooperate in an effort to overturn the government.

England Said to Have Bought Ships.

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, Dec. 2.—The battleship Libertad, now undergoing speed trials on the Clyde, and the battleship Constitution, now in course of construction in England, have been sold by the Chilean government to the British government for $9,000,000.

POPE RECEIVES AMERICANS.

Minister Bellamy Storer and Mrs. Storer Given Audience by Pius at the Vatican.

ROME, Dec. 2.—Bellamy Storer, United States ambassador to Austria, and Mrs. Storer were received in audience by the pope today. During the audience the pope's manner was most affable, and the pope expressed great satisfaction at the good feeling and the kindly interest displayed in the United States during the illness of Pope Leo and the pleasure evinced by Americans in his own election. Much knowledge of American affairs was shown by the pope, who said that he greatly desired to please the people of the United States. Mr. and Mrs. Storer afterwards visted Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secretary of state, the members of whose family they had known during their three years' residence in Madrid.

RAIN OF BLOOD IN ITALY.

Natural Phenomenon Observed at Salerno After Several Days of Severe Storm.

ROME, Dec. 2.—The phenomenon known as the "rain of blood" was noticed near Salerno during the bad weather of the last few days, the raindrops being so red as to leave a stain resembling blood. This phenomenon is said to come from the Sahara after a severe sandstorm. The peasants of the neighborhood were much frightened.

WILL ASK ABOUT ARMY ABUSES.

Leader of Radicals in Reichstag to Interpellate Chancellor on Ill Treatment of Privates.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Herr Eugene Richter, leader of the radical party, has decided to interpellate count von Bülow, the imperial German chancellor, regarding the maltreatment of private soldiers by their officers, as demonstrated in a number of recent cases before the military courts.

DREYFUS STRIFE RENEWED

AGITATION OVER CASE ALREADY STARTED IN PARIS.

Revision Decision Not Likely to Be Arrived At Inside of Next Ten Days, as Great Numbers of Documents Are Being Examined—Nationalists Hold Meeting and Denounce Ministry for Disturbing the Peace of the Republic.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Dec. 2.—The special commission to pass upon the propriety of permitting Capt. Dreyfus to ask a revision of his sentence held a meeting today during which Gen. Mercier, the senior member, said he did not believe he would be able to make his preliminary report in less than ten days.

The revision commission has a mass of other business in hand, but it is understood the members individually are going over the papers in the case, all of which have been transmitted to the president, M. Durand.

Gen. Andre, minister of war, has forbidden all officers and civilian employés of the war office to discuss the Dreyfus case even within the premises of the ministry.

Nationalists Are Opposed.

A meeting of prominent nationalists today demonstrated that they are bitterly antagonistic to the action taken by the government. Former War Minister Cavignac accused the government of disturbing the peace of the country by reviving an affair which had been made an instrument for civil discord, and asserted that it was useless to interpellate the government on the subject, because the ministry was too strong.

Gen. Mercier, the former war minister, who is regarded as the chief accuser of Dreyfus, has issued from comparative retirement from public life, and has affirmed that everything he had read in the government newspapers regarding Dreyfus was untrue.

The bitter tone of the nationalists is an indication of how the actual taking up of the case today has revived all the old animosities and bitterness of the last ten years. Intense feeling is shown throughout governmental, political, and army circles. The universal theme of the newspapers, clubs, and society is that the revival of the case will again bring out prominently the leading actors in Dreyfus' degradation.

Notables in Case Now Obscure.

Some of the most striking figures, including Zola and Col. Henry, are dead. Gen. Mercier has ceased to exercise influence in the war administration and never speaks in the senate.

Gen. de Boisdeffre, former chief of the French staff, has practically been retired, as he is on waiting orders and has no active command.

Col. du Paty de Clam has retired, but he continues to be an active figure. Maj. Count Esterhazy has become a pitiful personage. He has left the army, was divorced in 1899, and lives in London. Gen. Zurlinden, former military governor of Paris, has retired.

Most of the officers favorable to Dreyfus have been disgraced in one way or the other. Col. Picquart has become a parisian newspaper man. Joseph Reinach, leader of the campaign for the revision of Dreyfus' trial, is no longer a member of the chamber of deputies, but continues to conduct a literary campaign for Dreyfus' full restoration to the army.

M. Loew, president of the criminal chamber of the Court of Cassation, has retired from the judiciary and directs the affairs of the Legion of Honor.

French Budget Defended.

During the discussion of the budget in the chamber of deputies today M. Rouvier, minister of finance, replying to general criticisms of the government, declared that the condition of the national credit was most satisfactory. At present he said the government has no intention of floating a loan, but if the chamber refused to supply the government with needful resources, thereby compelling the issue of $9,000,000 on short term obligations, the floating of a loan might be found necessary.

MAY MAKE RADIUM LESS COSTLY

German Scientist Said to Have Discovered Evidence of Its Existence in Petroleum.

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LONDON, Dec. 2.—People who want to purchase radium, and who are debarred by its present price, may find comfort in a Berlin dispatch to the Daily Telegraph, which says that Prof. Himstedt of Freiburg has made an interesting discovery respecting radium which seems to show that its existence is more widespread than heretofore supposed. His experiments prove that all products of water and petroleum are sources which yield a heavy specific gas closely resembling and probably identical with the emanation of radium, whence he concludes that a large number of bodies are imbued with the quality of emitting a kind of Becquerel rays, and in this respect, he says, radium differs from the other bodies only as the magnetism of steel differs from that of iron—in degree only.

TREATY SIGNED BY PANAMA JUNTA

Great Formality Observed by Provisional Government of the New Republic.

NO CHANGE IS SUGGESTED

Approval of New Convention Is Unanimous and Causes Much Rejoicing.

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PANAMA, Dec. 2.—The Panama treaty has been signed without amendment by the members of the government junta. The document will be handed over to Rear Admiral Walker in time to forward it to Washington either on the steamer City of Washington, now in Colon, or by the United States ship Mayflower, which is scheduled to sail for home within a few days. The treaty was brought over to Panama yesterday by Rear Admiral Walker, M. Bunau-Varilla, the director of the canal company, and Dr. Espriella, the minister of foreign affairs, who went to Colon to obtain the iron box containing the document, which arrived on the City of Washington.

Treaty Taken from Iron Box.

Tomas Arais and José A. Arago, members of the provisional junta, were at the railway station to meet the party. The iron box immediately was taken to the government palace, and opened in the presence of the cabinet members, the provisional junta, and several prominent citizens with all the formalities due such an important event. The keys of the iron box were inclosed in two smaller iron cases accompanying the larger one. When they had been removed and the locks opened it was discovered the large iron box was heavily padded with cotton. In the middle, wrapped in the Panamanian flag, was the treaty signed in Washington on Nov. 18 by Secretary Hay, Minister Bunau Varilla, and Frederico Boyd of the government junta. It was carefully removed and spread out upon the table. The treaty, which is in English, was carefully perused and placed under guard for the night. At noon today the junta met at the palace and each member attached his signature.

Decree Signed by Junta.

The following is the decree signed by the junta: "Whereas, The guarantee of independence in the isthmus has been obtained; and,

"Whereas, Celerity is indispensable to secure the efficacious and immediate fulfillment of this obligation on the part of the United States and the provisional government, formed by the unanimous will of the people of the isthmus possessing full sovereign powers over the isthmus and its territory; be it

"Resolved and declared, That the treaty be approved in all its parts."

There is much satisfaction over the arrival of the treaty and its prompt acceptance. The general expectation here is the canal work will start in earnest early in January.

Colombian Archbishop Protests.

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BOGOTA, Colombia, Nov. 30.—[Delayed.]—Archbishop Herera of Bogota has made a reply to the communication received from Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, in which he contrasts the American of today to Mr. Bidlock, the American minister, who negotiated the treaty with New Granada. Archbishop Herera's note to the American prelate is an energetic protest against the conduct of the Washington government toward the weak republic. It states that Colombia has no intention to submit, but adds that, "no matter what may happen the nobleness of heart and the Christian duties of all Colombians will be sufficient guarantee for the safety of all Americans."

Reports again have reached Bogota that Germany, England, and Spain looked with "disgust and indignation upon the attitude of the United States regarding isthmian affairs."

Great hopes are still expressed that a solution of the difficulties satisfactory to Colombia will be reached. The government is anxiously awaiting to hear from Gen. Reyes before proceeding to take energetic measures.

News Received in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Two telegrams, one from the junta and the other from the minister for foreign affairs of the republic of Panama, announcing the approval of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty, were received by Minister Bunau-Varilla today. They are as follows:

"PANAMA, Dec. 2.—At 11:30 a. m. the junta has finished the examination and approved and signed the canal treaty.

"ESPRIELLA."

"PANAMA, Dec. 2.—We are happy to communicate to your excellency that we have just ratified the Hay-Bunau-Varilla treaty without modification and unanimously. This official act has been received with unanimous approbation.

"J. A. ARANGO,
"TOMAS ARIAS,
"M. ESPINOSA."

Minister Bunau-Varilla will communicate the news received by him to Secretary Hay.

Will Come in Diplomatic Mail.

The treaty as approved and signed by the Panama junta will be promptly returned to Minister Bunau-Varilla at Washington. To insure its safety and prompt transmission without interference by officials anywhere the treaty will be entrusted to Consul General Gudger at Panama, who will forward it to Washington in the American diplomatic mail pouch. Instructions to this effect already have been sent to Mr. Gudger by Secretary Hay. This courtesy was extended at the request of Minister Bunau-Varilla, who is anxious that there shall be no interruption to the safe return of the approved treaty to Washington.

UNIVERSITY AT KIEFF CLOSED.

Disorderly Conduct of Students in Russian City Causes Authorities to Take Action.

KIEFF, Russia, Dec. 2.—The university here has been closed until Jan. 3 because of the renewal of disorders on the part of the students. The latter refuse to recognize the authority of the court of professors constituted to try twenty-nine students who were arrested as a result of the recent disturbances.

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PLATT GIVES IN TO ODELL AGAIN.

Demonstration of Governor's Political Power in Greater New York.

WILL JOIN MUSICAL UNION

Women Harpists in Metropolitan Opera House Yield to Necessity.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Dec. 2.

Odell Demonstrates Power.

Gov. Odell, after long conference with Senator Platt and Col. George W. Dunn, today at the Fifth Avenue hotel, made a practical demonstration of his control of the local republican organization. The governor came from Albany with the opinion that an object lesson was needed to convince his enemies in this city that he had the power to make good both threats and promises. There was no serious question tonight that when the governor returned to the capitol he was in control of the republican situation.

M. Linn Bruce announced that he would not be a candidate for reelection as president of the county committee. All the leaders expressed regret at his decision. Senator Platt declared he was in entire harmony with the governor, and that only democrats were endeavoring to foment discord in the party. Bruce's place will be taken by some man who has not been identified with the Platt faction of the organization. The governor will proceed with his plan for a radical reform. Col. Dunn will resign either from the chairmanship of the state committee or from the state railroad commission. This change will probably not take place immediately. Gov. Odell said:

"There is no reason for any friction in the party. We are, on the contrary, actuated by a common desire for party success, and increased votes, and propose unitedly to work to that end."

As a result of the finding reached today by Hamilton Odell as referee in the franchise tax collection litigation the Manhattan Elevated Road and Interborough company now owning the elevated system will have to pay $307,185.13 into the city treasury.

Women Harpists Will Join Musical Union.

"My contract with Mme. Tagliaria, the harpist in the Metropolitan Opera house will be kept," said Heinrich Conried. "I have no dealings with the Musical union. Should the union order out the orchestra it remains to be seen if they would go. And if that happened, I don't know what I should do, unless the audience allowed me to give the opera with piano accompaniment. However, Mme. Tagliaria will continue to play. As a matter of fact, she decided today to join the union, and thus end that part of the trouble."

This will be done to avoid any embarrassment or financial loss for Conried, by Mme. Tagliaria, who is the wife of Du Friche, the baritone. Nathan Franko, the orchestra master, who engaged the other woman harpist, Mme. Weill, said tonight he is sure she would accede to his wishes and also join the Musical Mutual Protective association.

On what seems to be good authority, it is reported that Dr. John McGaw Woodbury, commissioner of street cleaning, is to be made police commissioner by George B. McClellan.

Young Goelet's Impersonator Heir to Fortune.

James Neilson Abeel, who won the affection of Miss Eleanor Anderson of New York by personating J. Ogden Goelet Jr., has fallen heir to a large sum of money which, by the will of his uncle, Thomas P. Abeel, who died in Rome, N. Y., two months ago, and which was filed at Waco, Tex., today for probate, makes Capt. Alfred Abeel, father of the fugitive, sole executor and, with two sisters, Mrs. August A. Parker and Miss Isabel Abeel, gives him $300,000. On his death his portion is ordered to be equally divided between William, Thomas, and James, sons of Capt. Abeel.

Williams, the negro who shot A. H. Green, while being examined as to his sanity, told the doctors he made a bargain with the devil to allow him to kill three men and then he could have his soul.

Dresser Bond Hearing Continued.

The hearing of the reclamation proceedings in the matter of Daniel Leroy Dresser and his creditors was continued today, the examination being directed to the discovery of the disposition that had been made of 316 bonds received by Mr. Dresser from John W. Young of the United States Shipbuilding company. The proceedings are to establish that the Bonds are not the property of the creditors of Dresser, but the property of Young. The hearing was adjourned until Dec. 9.

Walking Delegate McCarthy Convicted.

Timothy McCarthy, walking delegate of the Housesmiths and Bridgemen's union, was convicted today of extortion. The jury took nearly an hour to agree upon a verdict. Recorder Goff will pronounce sentence Friday, and it is probable that immediately afterward McCarthy will be taken to Sing Sing, where his former associate, "Sam" Parks, is imprisoned for a similar offense.

On Trial for Larceny in Insurance Case.

Daniel Myers, a member of the firm of Benton, Myers & Co. of Cleveland, O., and former president of the Manhattan Fire Insurance company, which went into the hands of a receiver in the early part of 1901, was today placed on trial before Recorder Goff for grand larceny in the first degree. The charge against Myers involves $39,500, which is alleged to have been taken by him by manipulation of checks when the fire insurance company was about to go into a receiver's hands. Six jurymen had been selected when the hearing was adjourned until tomorrow.

Latimer Murder Mystery Is Cleared.

Police Captain Reynolds, formerly in charge of the Brooklyn detective bureau, announced today that he had received a letter from a convict in Auburn prison stating that a fellow convict had confessed to him that he murdered Albert C. Latimer in Brooklyn on July 1, 1902. Police Inspector Kane of Long Island City was called into the case and it is said that the investigation has developed startling facts. The convict who confessed to the murder also admitted he had a hand in shooting Policeman Sheridan in Long Island City.

Suit to Recover Stock Losses.

To recover $251,502, said to have been lost in stock transactions, Justice Dickey of the State Supreme court today granted an attachment against the property of Maurice Untermyer, a member of a prominent family. Untermyer is now at Geneva, Switzerland. Affidavits show that Untermyer speculated in stocks through Ennis & Stoppani on a margin between Aug. 22, 1901, and Nov. 20, 1902. The transactions involved more than $400,000. The stock was sold at a loss, and the brokers are now suing to recover the difference between the purchase and sale price.

Miss Beardsley, an actress in the "Babes in Toyland" company, has brought suit for $150 damages because her parrot was taught to swear while at a bird boarding house.

Greets Husband She Wedded by Proxy in Cuba.

Mrs. Rafael Lopez, a Cuban of unusual beauty and wealth, arrived in New York today from her native land to greet her husband, to whom she had been married by proxy on Nov. 19 last. Lopez met the young woman while on a visit to his father's home in Cuba. Owing to deaths in the family of the girl the wedding had to be postponed, and young Lopez returned to the United States. Then it was decided to have the marriage performed in Cuba, the groom's father acting as his proxy. Young Lopez is a mechanical engineer, employed at Paterson, N. J.

Corbin Points Lessons of Our Wars.

The military order of the Loyal Legion held a banquet tonight at Delmonico's, at which the principal guest was Maj. Gen. H. C. Corbin, who read a paper on the general staff of the regular army, giving the history of its formation in this country as well as in many European countries. Gen. Corbin said in part:

"It is true that we have taken but little or any heed of the lessons of our several wars. We have in every instance prepared for war only after war has been declared. What this neglect has cost us as a nation in the way of lives and money would be difficult for the most intelligent to determine. That it has been great any novice can readily show.

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NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

WHY WOMEN SIN.

As Explained in a Melodrama.

That man sins and that woman is responsible for his so doing, is a theory as old as creation itself, and there are a sufficient number of well authenticated instances in history, both sacred and profane, to prove the theory a fairly correct one. Realizing this fact, it was with no inconsiderable curiosity that a visit was paid to the Academy this week to see "Why Women Sin."

The courageous playwright who has dared to attempt to answer this vital question seems to be convinced that women sin because there is a man in the case, or, to be more accurate, two men. At least this appears to be what he tries to prove in the melodrama now at the west side playhouse. Just how it all begins is unknown. When the investigating scribe arrived he heard a conversation being carried on in loud, excited tones, and saw a good looking specimen of the eternally feminine, robed in flaming scarlet, taking a perilous tumble down a flight of stairs. The finitely masculine who evidently had "trun her down" stood on the landing and jeered a jeer. The place was a fashionable clubhouse, and the time ladies' night.

Of course, the situation is one absolutely true to nature, for if ever the finitely masculine feels inclined to jeer and to dislodge the eternally feminine from the place she is occupying it is when he encounters her in a fashionable clubhouse on ladies' night. The scarlet robed specimen who had been tumbled was not, however, the character who was to prove why women sin. She evidently had done her sinning, and the playwright, if he knew of the circumstances and details, had not considered them sufficiently recent to point the splendid moral he would have his drama point.

The woman who was to sin made her appearance in the next act. The finitely masculine who had jeered as the curtain fell on the preceding act was discovered jauntily strolling in front of the clubhouse, which structure, like all fashionable clubhouses, had bright pink curtains. Here he was met by a young woman who lisped. She accused him of paying undesirable attentions to her married "thister," and assured him that if he "did not dethitht" she would "not hethitate to do thomething." Again he jeered. A child who belonged to the married "thister" hove in sight, and he decided that if he could get "the kidlet," as he styled the pink beribboned midget, out of the way, the last link between "her and her married life" would be removed, and then "she will be mine." The youngster was saved, of course, by a kind hearted ragamuffin, and in the next scene the proving of why women sin begins.

It is the home of a millionaire. This is shown by the newness of the smoking jacket the gent sitting in front of the fire is wearing. This gent is the other masculine in the case. He is papa to the "kidlet" and the husband of the "thister." He is mentally much disturbed, for he chews his cigar fiercely, and talks much about still loving her and yet doubting if she be true. The kidlet appears, and there is a deep converse about mamma and Mr. Woodsworth, which is the name of Masculine No. 1. Papa takes Kidlet away to put her to bed, as a well trained millionaire should do, and mamma appears.

She has a long weep because papa does not give her any affection. She admits that he supplies her with cash and jewels, but she wants affection. Kidlet, still beribboned, comes gayly back, and she and mamma have a neat little conversation about papa, and then mamma tells Kidlet to go to bed, and sends her away alone, as all good mammas should do. Masculine No. 1 walks gayly in, sees mamma weeping, and draws the portières and conceals himself behind them. Mamma has sent for papa, and will now, for the last time, endeavor to wheedle a wee bit of affection out of him. He comes; he promises her cash, but not affection; and suddenly grabs the portières and exposes Masculine No. 1. Mamma declares she had nothing to do with the latter's concealment, and papa takes his turn at jeering. Kidlet appears again, and keeps papa from hitting mamma, and then papa leads off the kidlet and promises to put her to bed. Masculine No. 1 approaches, and then begins the endeavor to make woman sin.

Mamma defies him. Then he offers her the much coveted affection, and she admits that that is an inducement. He exclaims, "You are mine!" but she says, "No, the wedding ring is between us," and extends a soft, white hand, on which glistens a band of gold. Masculine No. 1 is not to be kept by any trifle of this kind from showing why women sin. He grabs the ring from mamma's finger, throws it away, and clasps mamma in his arms. Enter Kidlet, this time partly undressed, but with the pink bow still in evidence. Masculine No. 1 disappears; mamma seizes Kidlet and weeps, while curtain falls.

The moral of all this? If you are a millionaire husband hang on to your cash and give your wife affection—that is, if you want to keep her; if you are a designing masculine, select a woman who prefers the cash, and you'll be more apt to get her; and if you are a woman who doesn't intend to sin, be sure you always have your wedding ring with you, and that there is close at hand a kidlet whom neither of her parents can get into bed.

The programs for the concerts by Mme. Patti at the Auditorium Wednesday evening and Saturday afternoon of next week have been announced. The diva will have the assistance of Miss Rosa Zameis, violinist, Anton Hegner, 'cellist, Wilfred Vrigo, tenor, Claude Cunningham, baritone, Miss Vera Margolies, pianist, and Sig. Sapio, accompanist. Mme. Patti Wednesday evening will sing "Voi che Sapete," from Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro," and the jewel aria from "Faust." Saturday afternoon her selections will be "Angels Ever Bright and Fair," from Handel's "Theodora," and Schubert's Serenade. Encores will, of course, be in order, so that at least four numbers will be heard at each concert from the prima donna, and, if the audience be sufficiently energetic, one or two more.

Ottakar Malek, a Bohemian pianist of whose abilities much in commendation is spoken, will make his first appearance here in recital next Sunday evening at the Studebaker. His program includes the Bach-Tausig toccata and fugue, Beethoven's C major rondo, the gavotte, and variations of Rameau, an andante of Haydn, the Schumann Etudes Symphoniques, Brahms' C minor rhapsodie, a fantasia of Chopin, a romance, gavotte, and menuetto of Gruenfeld, Sauer's sempre scherzando, and Smetana's "By the Seashore."

The company headed by Wilton Lackaye, which is to appear at the Garrick in "The Pit" week after next, will arrive in Chicago next Sunday, and will devote the week to preparation for the production here. Unusually elaborate effects are promised in the mass scenes, and there is a large force of supernumeraries to be trained. It is now made known that Mr. Lackaye has just signed a contract which binds him to give his professional services to Manager Brady for the next ten years. It is said to be the plan to bring the actor into particular prominence as a star during that time.

The repertory for the engagement of Ada Rehan and Otis Skinner at the Illinois, which begins next Monday night, has been definitely fixed. "The Taming of the Shrew" will be presented during the entire first week. The second week will bring forward "The Merchant of Venice" Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings, and "The School for Scandal" during the remainder of the time.

The management of the Grand Opera house announces that the bookings for the theater after the close of Mr. Mansfield's present engagement include Viola Allen in her production of "Twelfth Night," Mrs. Fiske in "Mary of Magdala" and probably "Hedda Gabler," a return engagement of "The Wizard of Oz," William Collier, probably in "A Fool and His Money," Blanche Bates in "Darling of the Gods," and Denman Thompson. The plans for the summer musical spectacle are said to be well under way, but the name of the piece being prepared is not yet decided.

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MOTHER GOOSE.

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Presented at the New Amsterdam Theater, New York, Dec. 2, 1903. The Cast:

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Jack, her son.....Harry Bulger
The Laird of Borderland.....W. H. McCart
Mayor of Chatham.....Clifton Crawford
Alexander, the laird's brother...Pat Rooney
Jill, daughter of Mother Goose.....Lelia McIntyre
Colin, Jill's sweetheart.....Viola Gillette
Carolyn Evelyn Gwendolyn Scraggs.....Aimee Angeles
Ida, the laird's sister.....Edith St. Clair
Eric, Ida's sweetheart.....Adele Archer
Maud.....Marion Garson
Duchess.....Hattie Waters
Vicomte Boreham.....George Clennett
Inez.....Emma Francis
Fairy queen, Heartsease.....Edith Hutchins
Demon.....Charles A. Fuller
Priscilla, the Golden Goose..Walter Staunton
Donkeys and Horse.....Dawe and Seymour
King Goose.....Allen Ramsey

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Was there ever such a gorgeous pantomime as "Mother Goose?" people were asking themselves tonight long before the curtain had fallen on the last act of "Mother Goose" at the New Amsterdam theater. The answer was "Never."

There can be no doubt that the certain popularity of "Mother Goose" will prove the truth of the judgment that the spectacle is Klaw & Erlanger's greatest triumph.

With so much to praise it is unfortunate that there is anything to criticise. Many of the "jokes" have been heard before and could only appeal for kindly reception on the score that they were old, old friends. There were many reminiscent laughs, but after all the book is of such minor importance as to be hardly worth taking into account.

"Joe" Cawthorne as Mother Goose represented not only the character about which such plot as there was turned, but from the first to the last was the center of humorous interest and the chief recipient of applause. Miss Aimee Angeles was as pretty and winsome as ever and as attractive, and Miss Marion Garson's singing of the "Pansy Faces" song at the close of the second act was deservedly praised. But of all the songs the one to be remembered is "Laughing Water," sung by Mr. Bulger.

Whitewashing of Julia Praised.

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—"The Whitewashing of Julia," a comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, was produced this evening at the Garrick theater with Miss Fay Davis in the title rôle. Many admirers of the popular young actress were present, together with others, who were disappointed in "Lady Rose's Daughter," with which Miss Davis opened her New York season.

Neither these friends nor the public were disappointed, for although this last comedy by the well known English playwright is not equal to some of his earlier successes, it is pretty, dainty, and refined and holds interest. The rôle of the sweet natured, misunderstood, charming young heroine fits Miss Davis like the traditional paper on the wall.

Dependent almost entirely upon the conversation between conventional members of English nobility and upper classes, lacking in strong situations, and with the slenderest of plots, "The Whitewashing of Julia" still is delightful to the eye and ear. The piece is just a pretty series of stage pictures strung together with natural and bright lines.

JAMES L. BLAIR DECLARED TO BE SOUND IN MIND AND BODY.

Man Accused of Enormous Frauds and Attempting to Kill Himself Said to Be Well in Hospital.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—It is asserted that James L. Blair is today a well man, eats heartily at regular hours, shaves himself, and has done so daily since he entered the Mullanphy hospital on Nov. 5, when he was supposed to be a mental and physical wreck as the result of charges that he had defrauded various estates of large sums of money and then attempted suicide.

Personal friends whom he desires to see come and go without interference. This information comes from a person who has seen Blair almost daily since he sought the seclusion of the hospital. The informant said:

"Jim Blair is sound in mind, and except for a twisted ankle is sound in body. He can be seen any day talking and acting as a healthy man would in his home or in his private office.

"I first saw him two or three days after his admission to the hospital, and I saw him again no later than yesterday.

"He occupies the best room in the male wards, for which he pays $20 a week, exclusive of medical attendance, of which he has little need.

"Mrs. Blair occupies a similar room, with every comfort. Elaborate meals are served to Mr. and Mrs. Blair semi-privately."

MRS. VANDERBILT NO WORSE.

Arrival of Dr. Austin Flint of New York at Newport Results in Denial of Report.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The appearance here this afternoon of Dr. Austin Flint Jr. led many to suppose that Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt is not so well as has been reported, and that he had been sent for to consult with a local physician who has been attending her since her fall in the opera house Monday evening. Inquiry at Sandy Point farm tonight, however, brought out the information that Mrs. Vanderbilt had fully recovered.

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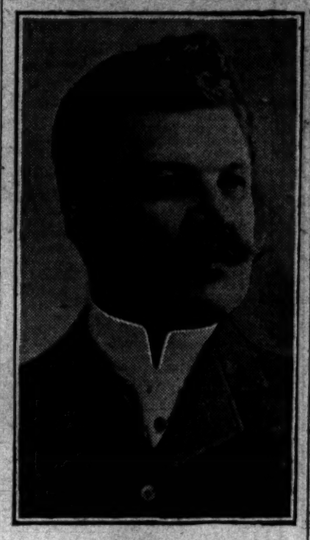

R. E. ISMOND.

Robert E. Ismond, whose nomination for the presidency of the Chicago real estate board was announced at the meeting yesterday, is the only nominee, and will be elected Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 16.

Mr. Ismond came to Chicago in 1887 from New York, and at once engaged in the real estate business. He has been a member of the real estate board for several years, and has held a number of minor offices. He now is chairman of the street railway committee.

For the last nine years Mr. Ismond has been connected with John G. Brown, in the firm Ismond & Brown, doing business only in downtown property.

OPPOSES FIRE TRAP LAW.

G. S. EDDY ATTACKS MEASURE TO MAKE HOTELS SAFE.

Agent of the Lincoln When Fourteen Lives Were Lost, He Declares Requirement of Elevators with Inclosed Shafts Would Benefit None but Contractors—Real Estate Board Holds Ordinance Good One—Officers Nominated for Election Dec. 16.

A member of the real estate board yesterday afternoon made objections to the proposed ordinance requiring owners of fire trap buildings to put in elevators with inclosed shafts. George S. Eddy, who made the protest at the meeting of the board, was the agent of the Lincoln hotel, 178 Madison street, when that building was destroyed and fourteen persons were burned to death, Dec. 4, 1902, on account of the ancient construction of the hotel and the lack of elevators and fire escapes.

The public service committee of the board decided the ordinance was acceptable, and not greatly burdensome. The ordinance provides that all buildings shall have an elevator service, with inclosed shafts sufficient to allow speedy emptying of the building. The measure is proposed as a result of recent holocausts, chief among which was the Lincoln hotel fire.

Eddy Opposes the Measure.

Mr. Eddy urged that the board take action to prevent its adoption. He declared many old buildings in the heart of the city would have to be remodeled to meet the terms of the ordinance, which is to be retroactive.

"It is not necessary or advisable to remodel many of these buildings," said Mr. Eddy. "The measure will result in great loss to the owners, and a great gain to the contractors, with no benefit to others."

The sense of the meeting was that all the old buildings without adequate means of exit should be provided with them, or be torn down.

Men Nominated for Office.

The nominating committee, of which Henry A. Knott was chairman, tendered its report embodying the nomination of a full ticket of officers for the ensuing years. The election will be held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 16. The ticket is as follows:

President—Robert E. Ismond.
Vice president—Walter Mill.
Secretary—J. Fred McGuire.
Treasurer—Frank M. Elliott.
Board of directors—Charles O. Coss, two years; Calistus S. Ennis, holding over; Frank G. Hoyne, holding over.
Valuation committee:
John B. Knight, Henry S. Dietrich,
George Birkhoff Jr., B. R. De Young.
Edgar M. Snow.

FIRST WIFE AT THE TRIAL OF OTHER'S DIVORCE CASE.

Woman Who Secured a Decree from Dr. James R. Struble Listens to Her Follower's Unsuccessful Effort.

Other Actions in Court.—Mrs. Catherine Potter, 639 North avenue, was granted a divorce from De La Motte Potter on the ground of desertion. Mrs. Anna Stayart, 271 Winthrop avenue, was sued by Albert C. Stayart because of desertion. Mrs. Maude Wood, married at St. Joseph, had the same complaint against Ernest F. Wood. An order was issued requiring Allen G. Clampitt to show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt for failure to pay alimony during divorce proceedings.

Bride Won by Advertisement.—Charles H. Clover, 75 years old and a resident of Champaign, Ill., would be freed from Mrs. Laura Clover, who married him last April after a courtship begun through a newspaper advertisement which the widow had inserted. Before her marriage Mrs. Clover was Mrs. Laura Free, and resided at 2025 Michigan avenue. Clover, who "always has led a mild and quiet life," objects to his wife's fondness for champagne.

While Mrs. Virginia Struble was seeking a divorce from Dr. James R. Struble yesterday the most interested listener to the testimony was Mrs. Samantha Struble, first wife of the physician, who obtained a divorce in 1898. The successor's effort was not so successful, for Judge Holdom dismissed the bill, which charged cruelty. Dr. Struble, in rebuttal, declared his wife once had struck him in the face, nearly dislocating his jaw.

FIREMEN'S BALL RAISES $40,000

Coliseum Crowded with People—Entertainment Begins with Moving Pictures of the Department.

The fourth annual firemen's ball for the benefit of the pension fund of the firemen was given at the Coliseum last night, and was attended by 10,000 people, though 40,000 tickets were sold. Fire Chief William H. Musham was chairman of the arrangements committee, and Capt. W. J. Burroughs was the secretary. The amount raised was $40,000.

For two hours the throng was entertained by moving pictures, many of which depicted scenes from the life of Chicago firemen. Then the dance began.

By means of the ball and voluntary contributions the firemen themselves pay more than half of the yearly expenditures from the pension fund. This fund amounts now to $176,000. It provides for 300 widows and 100 pensioned firemen with an annual expenditure of $95,000.

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Harpers Book News

LETTERS HOME: A NOVEL.

As a picture of New York viewed from the varied standpoints of people from all parts of the country, this, W. D. Howells' latest story, is a remarkable piece of fiction. As a love story it will satisfy every demand of its readers, and as an example of the wonderful literary ability of its distinguished author, it will take its place as one of Mr. Howells' best books. Every person who has ever been in New York will recognize his thoughts and feelings in some of its passages.

Booth Tarkington's CHERRY.

People who like things that entertain will be charmed with *Cherry*. Says the Chicago *Record Herald:* "It is a lively, witty, joyous comedy, which will increase Mr. Tarkington's reputation." The Rochester *Herald* thinks that "Mr. Tarkington is to be congratulated upon this altogether original comedy, and for the creation of a character unique in modern literature."

THE MAIDS OF PARADISE.

Unlike Mr. Chambers's last book, which dealt with American scenes and people, this, his latest romance, is laid in France at the time of the Franco-Prussian war. The reader is carried alternately from the heart of the fighting to remote and peaceful French country places. The story tells much of the plot and counterplot of German and French secret service, but the interest centers in the true romance, a love story of the kind only Mr. Chambers can write.

HESPER, By Hamlin Garland.

A novelist, speaking of Hamlin Garland's new story, recently said: "When I read *Hesper* I can feel the wind come down the canyon, and can see the mountains rise before me." One of the charms of Mr. Garland's novel is that the reader is irresistibly made to feel the exhilaration and the beauty of out-door life depicted. As an antidote for crowded streets and noisy cars, read *Hesper*.

LADY ROSE'S DAUGHTER.

By Mrs. Humphry Ward. Illustrated by Howard Chandler Christy. "The Novel of the year."

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LEAGUE OF FARMERS FORMING TO RAISE PRICE OF PRODUCE.

Robert Lindblom, Chairman of Executive Committee, Says Organization Will Be Most Powerful in Country.

"Within less than three months there will be in operation a national farmers' organization which will be the most powerful in the country," said Robert Lindblom yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Lindblom is chairman of the executive committee of five appointed by the advisory committee that adjourned yesterday at the Grand Pacific after a two days session to draw up a plan of organization. It is intended to do away with middlemen and advance prices on all produce.

"As soon as we have prepared our report we shall circulate it among the 500 independent farmers' exchanges in the country," said the chairman, "setting forth advantages to be derived from coöperation on national lines. Other local organizations will be formed, and will be asked to affiliate with the national body."

Kansas has a farmers' coöperative exchange with thirty-five elevators and $100,000 paid stock. Nebraska has seventy-five local exchanges with a state affiliation, and in Oklahoma 20,000 farmers are organized on a coöperative basis.

A Pennsylvania Echo.

Mr. H. M. Hoke, Harrisburg, Pa., Private Secretary to the Attorney General, says: "In my family the usefulness of Orangeine Powders multiplies right along."

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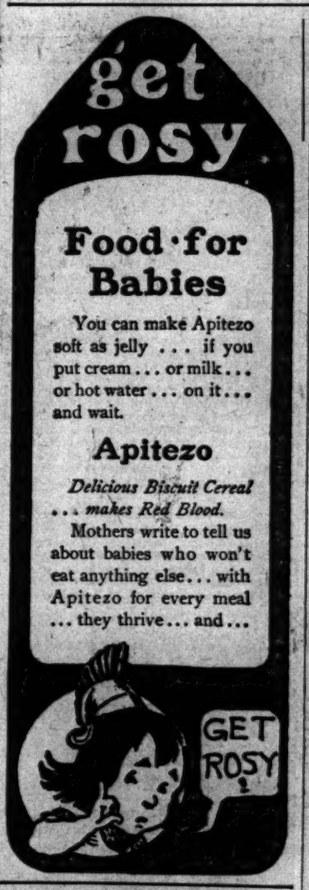

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IMPORTANT EGYPTIAN DISCOVERIES.

Prof. Flinders Petrie announces some important discoveries made while excavating at Abydos. At a depth of 20 feet an old temple site was discovered in which were ruins of ten successive temples, ranging in age from about 500 to 5,000 B. C. An ivory statue of Cheops was found, which shows for the first time the face and character of the great builder who made Egyptian civilization what it was for thousands of years after. Dr. Burkhart is the Cheops of the 19th century, the wonderful cures he has effected with his Vegetable Compound at a cost of $1 for 30 days' treatment marks an epoch in the history of medicine and his name will be loved and honored through the coming centuries.

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NAVY CHANGES ARE SUGGESTED.

Rear Admiral Taylor Recommends a General Staff and More Ships.

POINTS TO SHORTCOMINGS

Says Officers Do Not Get Commands Until They Are Too Old for Best Service.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—The annual report of Rear Admiral H. C. Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, made public today, recommends the creation of a general staff in the navy, the appointment of two vice admirals, one for the Asiatic station and one for the north Atlantic station; a material increase in the number of officers, and the addition of a number of ships to the navy.

Referring to the Caribbean squadron, the report says that the object of its creation is to provide at all times a force in those waters which can proceed quickly whenever needed. An increase in the number of cruisers to eight is urged, five of an improved Olympian type and three specially constructed light draft vessels for river work.

Eight Training Ships Wanted.

Rear Admiral Taylor calls attention to the irregular character of the training squadron, and urges in the interests of true economy the building of training vessels which would be useful in war. The construction of eight such vessels is recommended.

For the European station six new cruisers are recommended. On the Asiatic station Rear Admiral Taylor says the situation demands there a battleship squadron, a cruiser squadron, and a squadron of small vessels. He concurs in the recommendation of Admiral Evans that the principal naval station in the Philippines be established at Olongapo, Subig bay.

The report says the Asiatic station needs six cruisers of an improved Olympia type, and four cruisers of the scout cruiser type, of which latter two can now be provided.

Rear Admiral Taylor calls attention to the time spent by vessels of the north Atlantic fleet at navy yards for repairs, saying the battleship Alabama spent 138 days at the New York navy yard, the Kearsarge 104 days, and the Indiana 102, which he says is too long. He recommends that vessels of this fleet visit the navy yards for repairs only once a year.

The report treats at great length the subject of desertions, showing that for the year 1903 the percentage was 12.5. Among the various reasons assigned by officers, as well as the men themselves, are discontent with the food, discomforts as to sleeping accommodations, confinement on board ship without frequent liberty to visit shore, harshness in language and bearing on the part of officers toward the crew, the disappointment of the recruit who believed that sea service was a pleasant and easy thing, and the restless spirit existing among some of the men. When desertions go above 9 per cent the department, the report says, should examine closely the causes which produce the increase.

Younger Commanders Needed.

As affecting the personnel of the navy, Rear Admiral Taylor refers to the need of more officers as engineers. Attention also is called to a defect which is common to most military services, whether at sea or on land—namely: The advanced age at which officers reach the more important commands. The duty of commanding a battleship and fleets of battleships, he says, is one which requires, together with a large experience and ability, an energy and nervous endurance which is found as a rule among men much younger than those who will command our battleships and fleets for some years to come.

As a remedy for the present defect he urges the retirement of officers when they have reached a certain age in a certain grade. He suggests that an officer of fifty years who has not attained the rank of captain retire, and that a captain who, at 55, has not reached the grade of rear admiral, retire.

After urging an addition to the service of thirty lieutenant commanders and fifty lieutenants, Rear Admiral Taylor says that at present lieutenants are doing the duty which should be done by lieutenant commanders. Fifty additional warrant machinists are urged, in order to give this class of officers their chance of shore duty.

Regarding the creation of a general staff, Rear Admiral Taylor says it would not encroach upon the proper responsibilities or authority of any of the bureaus of the department, nor interfere with their internal operations.

Plan to Fortify Philippines.

Gen. Young, the chief of staff, and Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, had a conference this afternoon regarding plans for securing legislation providing for the fortifying of the Philippine islands. Secretary Root today referred the subject to the general staff for investigation, as a preliminary to taking up the matter Gen. Young called on Admiral Taylor for information showing what the navy desired in the way of fortifications for Subig bay, where the naval station is located. When the desired information is secured the general staff will prepare plans for the fortifications and estimates for the work to be submitted to congress.

POSTAL FRAUDS ARE STOPPED.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow Makes His Annual Report and Recommendations.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow in his annual report makes a number of recommendations for improvement in the service, and says regarding the frauds already discovered that they have been stopped and most of the wrong undone.

Mr. Bristow recommends an appropriation to construct inspectors' lookouts in postoffices wherever necessary, that the interstate commerce law be amended so as to prohibit common carriers from aiding and abetting in the green goods, lottery, or any other scheme, and that the provision that rural carriers shall not be prohibited from doing an express package business be repealed.

The estimated expenditure for both city and rural free delivery service during the fiscal year will aggregate about $47,000,000.

There are now in operation 19,306 rural free delivery routes. It is estimated that 8,260 additional routes can be established out of the appropriation now available, making 31,876, which will be in operation or ordered established by March 1, 1904.

BRITAIN SEEKING LYNCHEHAUN.

New Attempt to Secure Accused Irishman Under Immigration Exclusion Laws of United States.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—The British government has invoked the immigration exclusion laws to secure Lynchehaun, who was accused of murderous assault upon his landlady in Ireland, but who was freed from arrest at Indianapolis. It is alleged that Lynchehaun was a convict when he landed in this country and therefore may be returned to the country whence he came.

NO HEAT IN TROLLEYS: STRIKE.

Motormen and Conductors at Charlotte, N. C., Quit Work Because the Cars Are Not Warm.

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 2.—The Charlotte Street Car company did not furnish heat for its cars today and all motormen and conductors went on strike. Traffic is suspended.

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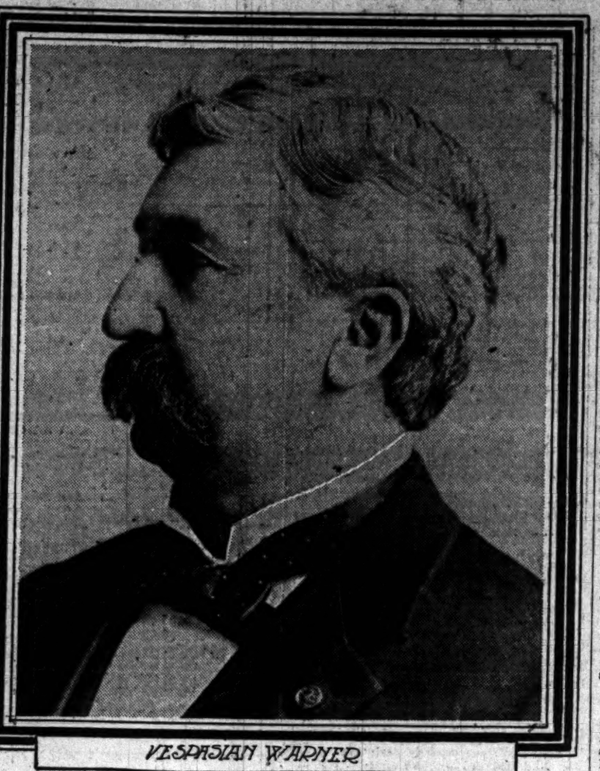

VESPASIAN WARNER

RECEIVES BRITISH ENVOY.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT GREETS DURAND AT WHITE HOUSE.

Formal Exchange of Good Will and Expressions of Friendship Existing Between the Two Governments—New Ambassador's Tribute to Sir Michael Henry Herbert, His Predecessor—Presentation of the Credentials.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—President Roosevelt today formally received Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the successor of Sir Michael Henry Herbert as the ambassador of Great Britain to the United States. The ambassador was conducted to the White house by Secretary Hay. Extreme cordiality marked the exchange of greetings.

Greetings from King Edward.

Sir Mortimer addressed the president as follows:

Mr. President: I have the honor to inform you that King Edward VII., my august sovereign, has directed me to present to you in person this letter accrediting me as his ambassador to the United States of America.

His majesty has further directed me to assure you of his earnest desire that the friendly relations which exist between the United States and Great Britain may be maintained and strengthened, and I have received his majesty's command to keep this object constantly in view.

I am deeply conscious, Mr. President, of the responsibility laid upon me, and I am well aware how hard it will be for me to prove worthy of the high mission with which I have been honored. I come to America for the first time, with a warm admiration for but without any personal knowledge of the great nation over which you have been called to preside, and I feel my inexperience the more keenly because I succeed as British ambassador here one who had passed a considerable part of his life in this country.

President Recalls Ties.

In replying the president said:

Mr. Ambassador: It affords me sincere gratification to receive from your hands the letter whereby his majesty, King Edward VII., accredits you as his ambassador to the United States of America.

Through you, the personal representative of your sovereign, I cordially reciprocate his majesty's desire that friendship and good will between our two countries shall be strengthened and perpetuated, and with the concurrent efforts of the American government I doubt not that success will attend your endeavors to fulfill his majesty's desire to this beneficial end.

Following, as you do, Mr. Ambassador, in the steps of one whose genial sympathy with our people and whose intimate knowledge of this country stood him in good stead by enabling him to gain the confidence and esteem of this government and to win the affection of all with whom he was brought into association, I cannot doubt that you, being inspired by the same good purposes and animated by the same kindly feelings, will achieve no less than did your lamented predecessor and merit equally with him the high regard of this government and of my countrymen. It is fitting that this should be, and that, mindful of the ties of friendship and speech, moved by like aspirations of progress in the paths of peace, and sharing a reverential trust in the almighty will that guides our destinies, our two nations and peoples, through their ministering agencies, should strive to reach a harmonious accord in all that affects their common interests.

CUBA TO BORROW $72,000,000.

Claims of the Veterans Who Fought in the War with Spain Are Growing to Immense Sum.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The claims of the Cuban veterans against the treasury at Havana now amount to $72,000,000. The Cuban government now faces the necessity of borrowing that amount, instead of the $35,000,000 originally decided upon. These facts were communicated to Secretary Hay today by Minister Squiers.

May Pay with Lottery.

HAVANA, Dec. 2.—A proposition was offered in the senate today to recall the lottery bill for the purpose of inserting in it a provision that the lottery scheme is intended only to assist in the payment of the army, and that it shall become inoperative as soon as such payment is accomplished. The motion was referred to a committee.

WATCHING THE WOOD INQUIRY.

President and Secretary of War Are Said to "Stand Pat"—Nomination Will Not Be Withdrawn.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Without endeavoring in any manner to influence the senate committee on military affairs in its investigation of the nomination of Gen. Leonard Wood, both the secretary of war and the president are watching the developments carefully. There is not the slightest probability that Gen. Wood will be recalled from the Philippines to testify in his own behalf. The president will not withdraw the nomination.

EXPLOSION OF NAPHTHA KILLS TWO: WRECKS TRAIN.

Fire Resulting from Destruction of Car in Center of Train Destroys Buildings and Causes Other Damage.

Dover, Del., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—A car of naphtha in the center of a freight train on the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington railroad exploded today at Greenwood, wrecking the train, killing Brakeman E. J. Roach of Georgetown, and causing the death by shock of an infant child. Several buildings were damaged and a number were set on fire, a residence and schoolhouse being destroyed.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Champagne?

If it's the taste and sparkle you want, I'll bring you Cook's Imperial.

CHARGE THEFT OF OPERA.

GERMAN PAPERS PRINT STORY OF STOLEN COPY OF "PARSIFAL."

Allege That Ex-Director Van Der Linden of Amsterdam Bought a Concert Right for Small Sum and Then Copied the Entire Score—Is Said to Have Sought to Leave Country with Score Furnished Him, but Was Prevented.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—German newspapers, in printing accounts of the trial of the suit brought in New York by Frau Cosima Wagner to prevent Herr Conried from producing "Parsifal" in the Metropolitan opera house there, raise an inquiry as to how Herr Conried secured a copy of the orchestral score of the opera, since a strict account is kept of every sale and right of reproduction granted.

The papers today reprint from the Deutsche Wochenzeitung in den Niederlanden (a German weekly newspaper published in Holland) a story which is offered as an explanation of the origin of Herr Conried's copy.

Story of a Copied Score.

The story is as follows: "Several months before ex-Director Van Der Linden of the Amsterdam opera started for America he entertained the idea of having his troupe sing 'Parsifal' at a concert, and opened negotiations with Amsterdam music dealers in order to secure the score. The dealers secured the score with the right for concert performances from Schott & Sons of Mayence for the sum of $250 and a percentage of the profits. Director Van Der Linden took the score and had it copied, but the concert was postponed. The dealers then demanded the return of the score, but Herr Van Der Linden put them off with promises until the date of his departure for New York.

Original Score Is Recovered.

"Accidentally a clerk of one of the dealers learned that Herr Van der Linden was about to sail for the United States. The dealers went immediately to his house and found that the ex-director had already left.

"They were in despair, as they had given $10,000 as a guarantee for the return of the 'Parsifal' score.

"The matter was turned over to a lawyer, who telephoned to a lawyer in Rotterdam. Herr Van der Linden's baggage was found and Van der Linden himself was invited to accompany the lawyer to the harbor. He at first refused to give up the score, but when a police inspector informed him that he would be held under arrest until the matter was settled before a court he consented to open his trunks and the precious work was discovered. He handed the score with a polite bow to the music dealer, who had no suspicion of the existence of a written copy."

DR. CYRUS EDSON IS DEAD.

Well Known Physician and Former Commissioner of Health in New York City, Expires.

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Dr. Cyrus Edson, the well known physician and at one time commissioner of health in this city, died tonight at the Roosevelt hospital of heart failure superinduced by pleuro-pneumonia.

His life was given to a study of medicine, and from his youth he served the city in many capacities. Franklin Edson, formerly mayor of New York and for years prominent in financial circles, was his father. Most of Dr. Edson's life was passed in New York, to which city he came from Albany, where he was born in 1857. Dr. Edson resigned from the health department to take up private practice.

He made important contributions to medical science, having invented several surgical instruments, paying special attention to the study of germ diseases. He was the author of nearly 100 articles on surgical and medical subjects, and a contributor to magazines designed for popular circulation.

OBITUARY.

CHARLES B. GEORGE, Waukegan, died yesterday, aged 74 years. Mr. George was a pioneer railroad conductor, and from 1855 to 1872 was in charge of the Waukegan and Chicago accommodation train of the Northwestern railroad. At that time the trip from Milwaukee to Chicago took so much time that passengers stopped for meals in Waukegan. Mr. George entered the employ of the Boston and Maine railroad in 1847, and served on railroads almost continuously since then. He left a widow and five children.

JOSHUA WARD of Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., died there yesterday, aged 65 years. In 1859 Ward won the sculling championship at Staten Island, rowing five miles in 37 minutes and 10 seconds. He held the championship, defeating all comers, until 1864, when he was defeated by James Hamill on the Schuylkill. Ward was a brother of Ellis Ward, the coach of the Pennsylvania university crew.

MARTIN GILL of Fond du Lac, Wis., died there yesterday, at the age of 102 years. He had lived alone for thirteen years, and had lived in Fond du Lac for fifty years. His four daughters reside in Chicago. They are Mrs. Richard Kinney, Mrs. Mary O'Malley, Mrs. Margaret Culberson, and Mrs. Honoré Nicholson.

DR. ALBERT G. BEEBE, Chicago, died yesterday at his residence, 582 West Adams street, of heart disease. During thirty years he was professor of surgery in the Chicago Homeopathic college. He is survived by Mrs. Beebe, a son, and a daughter.

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WARNER ENTERS FOR NOMINATION.

Announces His Candidacy for First Place on Republican State Ticket.

OUT FOR SELF ALONE.

Denies Plan to Help or Hurt Any Other Contestant Now in the Race.

Congressman Vespasian Warner, formally declared yesterday that he had decided to become a candidate for governor. The first declaration was made in a note to William D. Fairbanks at Monticello, Ill.

The congressman made further announcement at the Great Northern hotel last evening of his entrance into the race by saying, "I am now a candidate for the republican nomination, and submit my candidacy to the considerate judgment of our party."

Congressman Warner arrived from Clinton early in the day, and conferred with a number of friends before making public his decision. His presence at the central camp of republican politicians caused a stir among the campaign managers and supporters of other candidates. They kept the wires busy carrying messages to their lieutenants throughout the state asking for information as to the effect of this new development.

Letter to Piatt County.

The congressman addressed his declaration to Mr. Fairbanks as chairman of the Piatt county republican convention, which adopted resolutions last October indorsing him for governor and requesting him to become a candidate. A month ago he met a delegation from Piatt and received official notice of the convention's action. He promised a reply in thirty days and it has been given.

"Having fully considered the resolution," Mr. Warner said, "together with many similar requests from individual friends in all parts of the state, I have decided to become a candidate for the nomination. Thanking you and through you the other delegates of the convention and the republicans of Piatt county for your and their confidence, I assure you that if I am nominated and elected governor of this state I shall endeavor to so discharge the duties of that high office as to merit the respect and approval of all the people."

It is admitted that the Nineteenth congressional district is likely to become the scene of the most spirited contest of the campaign. It is the district which Mr. Warner represents in congress and in which Attorney General Hamlin also resides. It includes the counties of De Witt, Champaign, Piatt, Macon, Douglas, Coles, Moultrie, and Shelby. De Witt is the home of Warner and Shelby of Hamlin. It is agreed that they will not interfere with each other in their respective home counties.

Running for Himself Only.

By way of refuting certain reports that have been circulated, Mr. Warner said:

"I am a candidate for myself and nobody else. My candidacy is to help no other candidate nor for the purpose of hurting any other candidate. I shall conduct a clean, dignified campaign."

Mr. Warner is 61 years of age. He served through the war of the rebellion, from June, 1861, to July, 1866. In 1868 he entered Harvard law school, and after graduating began and continued the practice of law at Clinton until first elected to congress, ten years ago. He has been reelected for every term since.

Mr. Warner will leave for Washington tonight, but expects to return by Dec. 15 for the purpose of opening headquarters and starting his campaign.

Hamlin Going to Washington.

Attorney General Hamlin received so many pressing invitations to attend the Gridiron club dinner on Saturday that he accepted last night and will leave for Washington today. He suggested that there were enough original Hamlin men in the state to take care of his interests for four or five days.

HEARST CLUB IN MASON COUNTY

Organization at Havana Headed by Henry H. Elliott, a Member of the Legislature.

The Illinois manager of W. R. Hearst's candidacy for the nomination as president reported the organization last night at Havana "of the most powerful democratic club ever formed in Mason county, every faction and element of strength in the party being represented." Henry H. Elliott, member of the legislature, was elected president and John M. Daley, editor of the Havana Press, was chosen secretary.

JERRY SIMPSON FAVORS PARKER

Comes Out in Indorsement of New York Jurist as Democratic Presidential Nominee in 1904.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Jerry Simpson, the former leader of the populist party, has come out strongly for Judge Alton B. Parker of New York as democratic nominee for the presidency next year.

NEW ORLEANS OFFERS $300,000 FOR REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Chairman of Louisiana State Republican Committee to Give $25,000 and Pledges the Rest.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Frank B. Williams, a noted sugar planter, and chairman of the republican state central committee of Louisiana, announced tonight that the Louisiana republicans offer $300,000 for the next national republican convention and want it held here. He offers $25,000 himself, promising to raise the balance from eleven Louisianians, each giving a similar amount.

SAYS DIETRICH WAS IN DEAL.

Witness at Omaha Said to Have Testified That Legislator Lowe Divided with Senator.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—A link in the evidence which it was thought doubtful that the prosecution could produce, as tending to show that Senator Dietrich was in any way connected with sums of money demanded from postmasters by Representative Lowe for his indorsement, was forthcoming today. It is said that witnesses before the grand jury told how Lowe declared in their hearing that he "split the money in two with Dietrich." Lowe has been subpoenaed. Several witnesses, it is said, heard Lowe make a statement about Dietrich having shared money which he exacted from Postmaster J. J. Mitchell of Alma.

YATES PLANS ANOTHER TOUR.

At Conference with Lieutenants and Officeholders He Decides to Make More Speeches After Holidays.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Gov. Yates held a conference with several of his officeholders and lieutenants at the executive mansion this morning. The discussion was confined to the governor's campaign plans. A speechmaking tour after the Christmas holidays was agreed upon, although details were left to be worked out at a later date. The prospect of Congressman Warner entering the race was not discussed. In fact, no consideration of the opposing candidates was had at the meeting.

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CHAMBERLAIN'S CAMPAIGN.

The fiscal campaign in England is getting hotter every day. The greatest figure, of course, is Chamberlain. He is stumping England and Wales for protection. He is using all the American protection arguments and using them tellingly. He tells the Welsh tinmakers how the McKinley tariff law ruined Wales' tinplate industry. He says other British industries will be injured—are being injured now—by the tariff walls of other nations. If other nations knew England might retaliate they would be less apt to erect such walls against her. He says England is the dumping ground for America's surplus steel bars now, which are sold in his country below cost. But an English industry founded on the basis of buying American bars below cost will not last, because America will not always offer her bars on such terms. By and by she will "dump" finished goods instead of bars. Mr. Chamberlain tells how the empire with its 11,000,000 Englishmen across the seas needs to exchange favors to solidify. Sentiment and pleasant words are not enough of a bond. He tells how the food tax will improve farm values and increase farming.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has sunk almost out of sight and Rosebery has come to the fore again as a liberal leader. He marked his return to the political stage by an unfortunate phrase—that England "needs commercial repose." Chamberlain seized like a hawk on those words. He exclaimed England had had plenty of commercial repose. What she wanted now was commercial activity.

In the meantime the prime minister, Balfour, who openly countenances most of Chamberlain's scheme, has received an important recruit in the person of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, formerly chancellor of the exchequer. Sir Michael, until recently, was one of the most ardent free traders. Now, as the London Spectator complains, "he has hauled down his flag" by announcing that he will go at least as far as the retaliation part of Chamberlain's program. Sir Michael is an astute politician. Ever since he quit office he has been anxious for something to do. His switch from free trade to retaliation indicates that he thinks Balfour will form the next cabinet, which means that he believes at least part of Chamberlain's scheme will be approved at the polls. Sir Michael's jump for the band wagon denotes what remarkable strides protection must have been making in England within the last few months. For last summer Chamberlain himself, optimist that he is, declared that he did not expect to convert Great Britain to his doctrine for seven years.

MUZZLING ORATORS.

Georgia has four orators, Gov. Terrell, Mayor Howell of Atlanta, Capt. Howell, and "Judge" Gaines, who are in evidence as well as audible upon every public occasion, and particularly at banquets. There are indeed few places in Georgia where their voices have not been heard or where they have not made flights of eloquence to the empyrean. As an elocutionary quartet they are famous from Rabun Gap to Okefinokee Swamp. They have talked in public from childhood, and if they are not muzzled they probably will continue talking as long as they can exercise their vocal chords. They have talked upon an immense variety of topics with that perfervid and emotional style of oratory which characterizes the southron.

Up to Thanksgiving eve none of these orators had missed an opportunity to exercise his gift. That evening they did. The Atlanta chamber of commerce gave a banquet. The four were invited conditionally—the condition being that they should remain silent, and they did. Their voices were not heard. Conversation was not interrupted. No burning questions were elucidated. No man in the closing hours of the function was talked under the table. No man went home wearied with vocal display or dazed by oratorical flights. It was hard on the four. It was something unheard of in the history of Georgia that four professional orators should be muzzled and sit through a function with no opportunity to "rise Mr. Chairman and ladies and gentlemen" in response to toasts or inspired by an impromptu. It was something new to the banqueters also after gastronomic enjoyment to sit over the wine and enjoy their own fun without having to risk digestion by attention to conventional orations, and to find the fag end of the feast quite as enjoyable as any other part of it.

The Atlanta chamber of commerce has broken a hallowed tradition of Georgia, but it has set an excellent example and one which might be followed to advantage in every other city. Half the pleasure of banquets is lost and nearly all of it marred by the fag end speeches, which are looked forward to with dismay when the cloth is cleaned and joy should abound. One dispatch says "the banquet was the most successful ever held in Georgia," and another says that "the event was a most enjoyable one." How could it have been otherwise? The merchants of Atlanta are to be commended for their good sense in muzzling four professional banquet orators. "There are others" who should be muzzled.

THE FIGHT IS FORCED ON THE CITY.

One of the receivers of the Union Traction company says he does not think he and his associates will apply to the council for an ordinance to extend privileges which they contend the company enjoys under the ninety-nine year law. At present, as the receivers admit, it is for Judge Grosscup to determine whether such an application shall be made, but they undoubtedly express the sentiments of the men who control the Union Traction company. The City railway company is willing to waive its claims under the act of 1865 for a twenty year grant. The other traction company is not, possibly because it does not believe that it will be able to make in twenty years all the money it wishes to.

The reason assigned for not going to the council is: "We hardly hope for a franchise from that body as at present constituted." That reason will hold good for a long time. No future council will be of a more yielding disposition—more inclined to sacrifice the rights of the city—than the existing one. Indeed, the longer the disagreement between city and company lasts the less willing will aldermen be to grant favors to the stubborn corporation.

The Union Traction company, if its ruling spirits so desire and if Judge Grosscup concur, can stake everything upon a single card. The company can take the ground that it can go on doing business and can do business much as it pleases without asking the city's permission for anything. In that event the United States Supreme court will have to pass upon the claim. If the court does not uphold to its fullest extent the contention of the company it will regret not having made terms with the council of 1903. It will not find another which it will be so easy to do business with.

The receivers have asked Judge Grosscup to instruct them to go on with proposed improvements on the street railway system without the consent of the city authorities. The matter is to be argued this morning. If the judge order the receivers to go ahead, as they believe he will, the city will take an appeal and the matter will be carried up to the highest court. If the receivers make the improvements they have in mind, or only a part of them, the public will get better service and will enjoy that service while the city and company are litigating.

If the company make any improvements without the consent of the city and the Supreme court shall decide subsequently that the consent of the city was necessary, it will then appear as a suppliant before the council and beg for terms. The course the receivers wish the Union Traction company to pursue is a perilous one for it, but it seems to be the one decided on. So now for a long legal contest. The city has not sought it, but will not shrink from it. It will fight to the last for its rights.

CHOICE WORDS FROM ST. LOUIS.

Soaring to the giddiest heights of metaphor and flapping wide pinions in the luminiferous ether of oratory, Mr. Bartholdt of Missouri assured the house of representatives last Friday that, while the world's fair at Chicago was a "pageantry of progress," the Louisiana exposition at St. Louis would be "the apotheosis of centuries of civilization" and "the greatest triumph human genius has yet achieved." As the visitor saunters along "the terrace of states" the newly invented electric kaleidoscope will "illuminate him in royal purple"; as he descends from the terrace it will "ensanguine him in vivid red"; as he hangs over the "ramparts" of the "grand pool" it will "mellow him in orange."

But why dally with the electric kaleidoscope? The electric cascades make the electric kaleidoscope look like an extinct volcano. "The fiery flood of the cascades, stretching with its single luster through bands of brilliant cardinal, cerulean, orange, and amethyst, will seem like the stream of life everlasting soaring above the vicissitudes of fortune to the realm of the great unknown."

Then, when the visitor finds his palate jaded by soaring streams, he will deviate into gardens where his ravished soul may cuddle in the lap of Elysium. "The cascade gardens appeal to the five senses of man. Seated on the verandas of the pagoda cafés, above the scene, the epicure may satisfy his taste. His ears are saluted by the purling music of the waters and the harmonies of the great organ. The perfume of the flowers and trees perfume the evening air. The eyes behold the ravishment of the spectacle. The hands may caress what they most love. So the modern voluptuary may imitate the patricians of Rome."

When, therefore, "on the May day of the coming year the gates of welcome are flung wide open and the vision of the century unfolds its prophetic beauty for the uplifting of humanity," St. Louis will be the only place where the lover of ardent and exalted language will care to be. The cascade gardens, of course, will claim preëminent distinction as the "transcendent decorative zenith" of the exposition, but they will not escape eager-footed and hot breathing rivalry. One thousand statuesque pieces of "frozen poetry"; 50,000 roses tucked up in a single bed; 2,000 living birds in a bird cage; a reproduction of Jerusalem tearing away some of "the romance which clings to the Judean hills"; a side show called "Asia with its rajahs and rites"—all these aerial and rococo flings of human ingenuity will prove that while the cascade gardens deserve the palm of precedence, they yet remain only one ingredient in a heroic and tumultuous potpourri of excrescent exhibits.

Who said that a world's fair was a stimulus only to material development? World's fairs produce literature.

OLD AND NEW PROPHETS.

New times, new customs. The prophets of Israel had neither gold, silver, houses, land, stocks, bonds, nor cattle. Elijah owned only the few cheap clothes he wore. John the Baptist, whom Dowie calls Elijah II., had for his sole possessions raiment of camel's hair and a leathern girdle. They had nothing, not even debts, so, while kings and queens pursued them, creditors did not. Neither of them knew what it was to be commanded and strictly enjoined "laying all other matters aside, and notwithstanding any excuse," to appear in court to answer a petition praying that he be adjudged a bankrupt.

If Elijah III. had not combined business with prophecy—if he had not dabbled in lots and acres, started a bank, and established a lace factory—modern sons of Belial, called creditors, would not have gone into court with a petition, and Judge Kohlsaat could not have done what has not been done before—put the goods of a prophet in the hands of receivers. Nor would he have been able to order Elijah III. to leave his city of saints and appear in court in the city of sinners.

It does not follow because some creditors have asked that Dowie be adjudged a bankrupt that the court will so order. His assets may turn out to be much in excess of his liabilities. The clouds now lowering over Zion may break away speedily. The men who are besieging it with the legal artillery of judgments and bills may be paid off to the uttermost farthing and the siege be raised. It would be regrettable if the lace factory were to close down or the depositors in the Zion bank be unable to get all their money. There would be no such commotion as there is now if the prophet had stuck to prophesying and had confined himself to heaping up treasures in the celestial safety vaults, where thieves cannot break through and steal.

The prophets of old were sometimes able to soften the hard hearts of princes and kings. Perhaps a modern prophet may not always find them obdurate. But creditors are made of sterner stuff. The threat of divine vengeance does not frighten them. Prayers do not move them. Nothing will content them but cash, and if a prophet have it not he is dragged into court like any other debtor. Dowie has troubles which Elijah and John the Baptist were spared.

BEAVERS OBLIGED CONGRESSMEN.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow describes in his report on the postoffice frauds the methods of Beavers, the head of the division of salaries and allowances. He says:

Increases of allowances for clerk hire in postoffices were made regardless of the necessities of the service. Promotions were frequently made without consideration of the merits of the clerk promoted. Long time leases for postoffice premises were canceled and rent increased upon the recommendation of prominent political leaders, sometimes without regard for the rental value of the premises.

Beavers did not do these things for money but to oblige politicians, most of them congressmen. Democratic as well as republican members appealed to him for increases for the benefit of friends. He willingly obliged them and they were not ungrateful. Machen had the same obliging disposition. As a consequence, when a house member last winter consulted some prominent republicans and democrats about the advisability of an investigation of the postoffice department, the minute he mentioned the names of Beavers and Machen they said they would have nothing to do with the matter.

The wish to please congressmen at the expense of the government has been one of the causes of the demoralization of the department and the wastage of its revenues. If congress wishes to promote efficiency and integrity in the conduct of postal affairs it will bid its members abstain from practices which foster corruption. The head of a division who begins by making a place for the protégé of a congressman at the cost of a few hundred dollars to the government is likely to end by robbing the government for his own private benefit.

It is said there is no good drinking water in Panama. The facilities for boiling the water down there ought to be superb.

The popular belief is that Overseer Jane Dowie is not involved in the temporary financial embarrassment that has overtaken the head of the family.

Eat sparingly of terrapin. They are quoted in the eastern markets at $100 a dozen.

After reading Grover Cleveland's letter, in which he stated, in terms almost positive, that he would not be a candidate for president next year, Col. Watterson loosened his collar, gasped once or twice, and finally decided to leave the whole affair in the hands of Providence.

They are talking of sending Editor Howe of the Atchison Globe to congress. Mr. Howe could use his blue pencil to great advantage there.

Some fault has been found with Speaker Cannon's voice. It is not loud enough. He will manage to make his gavel heard, however, when any emphasis is necessary.

Zion City may expect an early visit from Mr. Lincoln Steffens.

Chicago can get the convention next year by reaching out its hand—with a check for $100 000 in it.

Van Dine et al. will observe that the street car company, which offered a reward for the capture of the car barn murderers, appears to entertain no doubt that the right men have been caught.

But President Roosevelt, while not taking sides in the Illinois campaign, is quite certain he knows one side he wouldn't take.

Happily for the poor horses with the docked tails at the live stock show it isn't fly time.

Dowie may not be Elijah, but it will be well to wait a few days yet before calling him Ichabod.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Size.

Maud—"That is Miss Ryno, the heiress. She was born, you know, with a silver spoon in her mouth."

Mabel (inspecting her)—"She looks as if it might have been a soup ladle."

Saving Time.

The man with a bearskin overcoat had just bought a phonograph.

"This thing will talk anything I talk into it, won't it?" he asked.

"Yes, sir," replied the dealer.

The phonograph was set in motion, and the purchaser sat down in front of it and spoke into the mouthpiece as follows:

"Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds. Poland China, 857 pounds."

He kept this up till he had filled the cylinder, after which he had the machine packed up, and as he put it under his arm and turned to go he said:

"I've got a fat hog at the stock show, and this will save me a lot of trouble in answering questions about him."

Bright Scheme.

Literary Critic—"I liked your new book, all except the last chapter. There was no reason, so far as I could see, for making the story end unhappily."

Struggling Author—"I did that for a purpose. When the story is dramatized the stage version will be made to end happily, and it will get a lot of free advertising, both in the literary and dramatic columns of the papers. See?"

They Two.

The Doctor—"You believe in a future state of existence, of course. Doesn't it appall you to think of its being endless?"

The Professor—"Appall me? My dear sir, it will take me a million years to complete my table of logarithms alone!" C. W. T.

Sibley and His Bet.

[Washington Correspondence New York World.]

Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania attended a horse sale in New York where The Abbot sold for $22,000. Shortly after The Abbot had been knocked down Sibley went to the lunch counter and ordered a turkey sandwich.

"What he gave me," said Sibley, "reminded me of a sheet of tissue paper in an envelope more than anything else that I can think of. After I had taken the required two mouthfuls I handed the man a dollar. He gave me back a 50 cent piece and two dimes, having charged me 20 cents for the alleged sandwich.

"I shoved the 50 cents over to him, 'What's that for?' he asked. 'You have paid for the sandwich.'

"'I know,' I said, 'but I want to bet you.'

"'Bet me what?'

"'Bet you that if you sell that turkey out it will bring more than The Abbot.'"

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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LORD RONALDSHAY, who is now in this country, is the oldest surviving son and heir of the marquis of Zetland and has achieved considerable distinction in connection with his explorations of central Asia, which he undertook while serving on the staff of Lord Curzon, the viceroy of India. He has embodied his experiences in a clever book, entitled "Sport and Politics Under an Eastern Sky," in which exciting adventures modestly told and records of the bagging of plenty of big game are interspersed with the expression of some shrewd views on the subject of the political situation in central Asia. Lord Ronaldshay is a good looking young soldier and heir to a large fortune, the foundations of which were laid by an army contractor of the eighteenth century. This contractor found no difficulty in obtaining a baronetcy from the premier of the day, who stood in need of his contributions to the campaign fund of his party. His son in turn was elevated to the peerage with the title of Lord Dundas, which was transformed in the following generation into the earldom of Zetland, a title based on the fact of the Dundas having purchased the Zetland estates and feudal rights of the earls of Morton. The present Lord Zetland was advanced to the rank of marquis for his services as one of the lory viceroys of Ireland. His eldest son, Lord Ronaldshay, is regarded as one of the great matrimonial catches in English society.

Prince Frederick Ernest of Schoenburg-Waldenburg, from whom the Infanta Alice of Spain is now endeavoring to secure a dissolution of her marriage, is a tall and handsome man, who belongs to one of the medialized houses of Germany, which is qualified therefore to contract matrimonial alliances with the reigning houses of Europe on a footing of equality. The major portion of the estates of his house, which traces back its ancestry in an unbroken line to the year 996, are situated in Saxony, and it is owing to this, as well as to the circumstance that the Schoenburg-Waldenburg occupy seats in the Saxon house of lords, that the infanta has applied to the Saxon tribunals for the dissolution of her marriage.

The latter was inaugurated under the most unfortunate auspices owing to the opposition of both the parents of the bridegroom and of the bride to the match. Indeed, it was in consequence of these obstacles that no less than six months intervened between the religious marriage at Viareggio and the civil marriage at Venice. For six months therefore the infanta and the prince were in an awkward predicament indeed—that is to say, married in the eyes of the church, but not married in the eyes of the law. It is fortunate under the circumstances that they did not begin their married life until the civil ceremony had been completed. For, had they contented themselves with the religious ceremony and anything occurred to postpone to a still later date the civil union, any child which might have made its appearance in the meantime would have been illegitimate in the eyes of the law, and as such debarred not only from the prince's name and title but from even any share in the fortune of either father or mother. It is one of the only known cases in modern times, at least as far as princely and royal houses are concerned, where so long an interval has been permitted to elapse between the religious and civil marriages.

The brother of the Infanta Alice, Don Jaime of Spain, and her sister and brother-in-law, the Prince and Princess Massimo, are now with her at Sori, in Italy, and are consulting with her lawyers as to the steps to be taken to bring to account those responsible for the circulation of the wholly false story to the effect that the infanta had eloped with her coachman.

The recent condemnation of young Baron Francis Joseph of Lerchenfeld, at Vienna, to eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labor, and to the loss of his rank as a member of the nobility on conviction of the perpetration of a long series of frauds, serves to call attention to the fact that the Austrian, Russian, and the various German tribunals still exercise the right of depriving nobles guilty of criminal offenses of their titles and of their rank as scions of the aristocracy. The courts exercise this right in the name of the sovereign, who is the fountain of all honors, and who, therefore, may be considered as possessing the authority to declare forfeit any distinctions that his predecessors on the throne may have conferred. In Austria and in Germany the monarchs only deprive a noble of his titles through the decree of the criminal courts. But in Russia the czars have occasionally taken this step without any regard to the action of the tribunals.

In Spain, Portugal, Italy, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Scandinavia, neither the courts nor yet the monarch would be considered to have the authority to deprive a man of a title that he had inherited in strict legal fashion from ancestors, while in England the question as to whether or not the crown retains this prerogative is a matter of controversy. For some time ago, by dint of diligent and careful historical research, it was discovered that there are a number of precedents for the exercise by the sovereign of the right of dispeering peers. Members of the house of lords were, it seems, dispeered in Tudor and Plantagenet times for disgraceful conduct, and there is even on record the case of a duke of Bedford, who, without any action on the part of parliament, was dispeered by King Edward IV., deprived of all his titles, and reduced to the level of an ordinary esquire on the ground that in the estimation of the crown he was too poor to maintain the rank of a peer of the realm.

This discovery naturally created a great sensation, as up to that moment it had always been believed that the only way in which a peer of the realm could be deprived of his titles and of his seat in the house of lords was by being attainted by act of parliament for high treason. This was followed by the extinction of the peerage belonging to the culprit, none of his descendants being allowed to inherit it.

There have been no instances of forfeiture of peerages by attainder since the Jacobite rebellion in the early part of the eighteenth century, and there is no doubt that were King Edward VII. to avail himself of the prerogative of dispeering peers on the strength of the precedent furnished by King Edward IV. and other of his still more remote predecessors on the throne, a severe struggle would be made alike in the house of lords and in the courts of law to deprive the crown of this right, on the ground that a title by inheritance enjoyed for a certain number of years becomes just as much the property of its bearer as his inherited estates.

At the same time there is no doubt that it would distinctly add to the prestige and character of the peerage were the king to deprive those members thereof who have disgraced themselves of their titles and immunities, reducing them to the status of ordinary citizens. Inasmuch as all the members of the house of lords are officially styled "well beloved cousins" of his majesty, he ought at least to have the right to rid himself of objectionable relatives.

Although Lieut. Bilse has been dismissed from the German army, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment for writing the novel entitled "A Little Garrison," portraying in a realistic fashion the condition of affairs in the frontier town of Forbach, where he was stationed, yet the kaiser and the military authorities at Berlin seem to have taken to heart the lesson contained in the book. For not only has nearly every one of the officers at Forbach been transferred or compelled to resign his commission, but what is far more important is that the emperor has decided henceforth to abandon the practice of sending officers guilty of misconduct by way of punishment to frontier garrisons. For it is made clear that it is necessary to have the best officers and not the worst ones at such points, calculated at any moment to become ogres of danger, while the conditions of life there are such that officers of unsatisfactory character develop worse faults, and that only men of some strength of mind can resist the effects of isolation, uncongenial surroundings, and absence of refining society.

Next Morning.

"This," said Deacon Hammer, holding up a glass of ice water, "is the drink for me. I can't get too much of this."

"That's right," replied Hardkase, "you can drink an awful lot of it on the morning after, can't you?"—Philadelphia Press.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

The Advanced Newspaper.

Mr. W. T. Stead of London announces that he will establish a new daily paper, which shall be a "social exchange," and through which his patrons may send messages, order goods, etc. He says the paper shall be "sort of a maid of all work."

We walk into the office
Of the paper up to date;
We want to see the owner,
But it seems we'll have to wait.
He's out upon an errand,
With his pencil and his book
He is looking up addresses—
There's a reader wants a cook.

"Well, then," we softly murmur,
"We should like to see the man
Who writes the flaming headlines."
"Sir, I do not think you can,"
Is the gently spoken answer,
"For I don't know where he's at,
Save that some one asked this morning
If he wouldn't trim a hat."

"The Social Mention lady—
Can we see her?" we inquire.
"Not this morning," is the answer,
"It was Mrs. Swell's desire
That the Social Mention lady
Come in answer to her call
For some one to write the blooming
Invitations to her ball."

"The man who writes of horses?"
"He is piloting a hack
With a country reader in it
To the shopping streets and back."
"Then, the wise dramatic critic?"
"Ah, an operatic troupe
Sent in fifteen cash subscriptions,
And annexed him as a supe."

"Reporters?" "They are busy
In a hundred varied ways—
Running errands, painting houses,
Watching doggie while he plays,
Hunting servants, cooking dinners,
Serving tables in a rush,
And the star of our equipment
Asks a crying child to 'hush.'"

"I'd like to take the paper."
Then the office boy cries: "No!
We can take no more subscribers—
It would be a fatal blow.
If we list you with our patrons,"
On his face there spreads a smirk,
"We should have to close the office,
For I'd have to go to work."

A BLAMELESS YOUTH.

There was a young man from Duluth
Who was given to drinking vermuth.
His friends tried to save him
By allaying his craving
With something less warm—when forsooth,
He took gasoline.
Now, it's plain to be seen
He'd better have stuck to vermuth—and Duluth.
—Portland Oregonian.

THE microbe is a fad, but who will be the first to give up his germs?
Don't blame this young man from Duluth—
He suffered from pain in his tuth;
His agony dental
Resulted in mental
Disturbance when he was a yuth.
He cried: "I'm an auto,
And benzine I've got to
Fill up with!" He rose from Duluth—that's the truth.

NEVERTHELESS, those who visit "thrifty" families will be apt to agree with Mrs. Corinne Brown that economy may be worked to death.

ELIJAH intimates that he has something up his sleeve. He has also plenty of conversation up his whiskers.

SOMEHOW, it ought to be possible to say something to the effect that England's campaign against Thibet will relieve the British army of Lord Roberts' charges of Lhassatude. Maybe not, though.

WILL the editor of McClure's Magazine kindly turn a listening ear toward Grand Rapids, which town has been shrieking for some weeks? Surely Mr. Lincoln Steffens can rush thither and do something under the title of "Grand Rapids—Grafted and Glad of It."

IF Zion City were in South America, a short notice revolution would put Dowie on his feet.

MEN and brethren, an eastern woman has prepared a paper for the instruction of her sisters, entitled: "How a Woman May Save Herself While Shopping." Statistics gleaned during the last twenty years prove that a woman hardly ever saves anything else while shopping.

"THRIFT and saving," says Mrs. Corinne Brown, "are a menace." And yet, Mrs. Brown, so far as is known, is not engaged in the millinery business.

BUT if some one would start a crusade against "Gents' Pants" it would receive almost unanimous support.

A GENTLEMAN giving the name of McClellan has at last solved the pestering problem of how to win at poker. Entering a "club" on State street, he insisted upon taking a hand in each game that was in progress. He was the only man to draw, and all the other players passed. All he held was a pistol. He raked in all the pots and cashed in, omitting the ceremony of feeding the kitty. This was irregular to some extent, but almost any innovation is irregular if it makes good.

PRECEPTS FOR THE YOUNG.

IV.—DO NOT IMITATE.

My child, when people come to call,
Do not lurk somewhere in the hall
And notice how they smile or talk
Or hold their arms, or how they walk,
With the intent, when they depart,
To show your imitative art.

Of course, your Uncle Joseph's sneeze,
As you portray it, can but please;
And rich old auntie's stylish airs
When you depict them banish cares,
But what if you show Uncle Joe
The way your auntie's antics go?

And what if, with a puff and pant,
Your uncle's sneeze you show your aunt?
Some day, perhaps, the two will meet,
And all your little tricks repeat.
Then to their fortune laden wills
They'll add some boyless codicils.

CARNEGIFIED CONSOLATION.

Hoot, laddie, dinna greet
And moan your fate sae fairly!
That fortune's fleein' feet
Ha'e jumped aboon ye fairly!
What guid is gear an' gowd!
It's like thing an' a'ething.
Ye maun be verra proud
Your pursie clinks wi' naething!

Hoot, laddie, dry your e'en!
Wealth is na worth the ha'ing.
The gey leebrary wean
For it is ever ca'ing.
An' honors mak' ye hop—
No sooner ha'e ye got 'em
Than gin ye'd hold the top
Ye aye must watch the bottom.

Hoot, laddie, weep nae mair
For that ye ha'e nae penny.
'Tis but a bunch of care
As soon as ye ha'e many.
Tak' this ane thing as sure—
Nae truth could be the surer—
'Tis fine when ye're that puir
Ye mauna be the puirer!

W. D. N.

POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Eliot Norton.

THE STRANGER ON THE SILL.

BY THOMAS BUCHANAN READ.

BETWEEN broad fields of wheat and corn
Is the lowly home where I was born;
The peach tree leans against the wall,
And the woodbine wanders over all;
There is the shaded doorway still,
But a stranger's foot has crossed the sill.

There is the barn—and, as of yore,
I can smell the hay from the open door,
And see the busy swallows throng,
And hear the peewee's mournful song;
But the stranger comes—O, painful proof—
His sheaves are piled to the heated roof.

There is the orchard—the very trees
Where my childhood knew long hours of ease,
And watched the shadowy moments run
Till my life imbibed more shade than sun;
The swing from the bough still sweeps the air,
But the stranger's children are swinging there!

There bubbles the shady spring below,
With its bullrush brook where the hazels grow;
'Twas there I found the calamus root
And watched the minnows poise and shoot,
And heard the robin lave his wing,
But the stranger's bucket is at the spring.

O, ye who daily cross the sill,
Step lightly, for I love it still;
And when you crowd the old barn eaves
Then think what countless harvest sheaves
Have passed within that scented door
To gladden eyes that are no more.

Deal kindly with these orchard trees;
And when your children crowd their knees,
Their sweetest fruit they shall impart,
As if old memories stirred their heart;
To youthful sport still leave the swing,
And in sweet reverence hold the spring.

The barn, the trees, the brook, the birds,
The meadows with their lowing herds,
The woodbine on the cottage wall—
My heart still lingers with them all.
Ye strangers on my native sill,
Step lightly, for I love it still.

THURSDAY, DEC. 3, 1778.

DO YOU REMEMBER THAT—

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO TODAY:

A college was established at Baltimore, Md., for the children of French Catholic immigrants who were then flocking to the United States.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY:

M. Caillet, the first successful explorer of Timbuctoo, arrived in Paris from the African coast.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

Out of 2,967 newspapers published in the world, 1,800 were being issued in the United States, 500 in Great Britain and Ireland, and 320 in Germany.

FORTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

Eighty rebel prisoners escaped from Camp Douglas, Chicago, by means of a tunnel which they had dug, several being recaptured later at the Briggs and Matteson hotels.

A grand banquet and ball were given at Omaha, Neb., to celebrate the breaking of ground for the Union Pacific railroad, congratulatory telegrams being received from Brigham Young and Gov. Leland Stanford of California.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

War between Spain and Germany was threatened because the former government had seized German ships in Philippine ports.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY:

Applications for 400 patents for clock dials adapted to the newly adopted standard time were reported on file at Washington.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY:

James J. Van Alen of New York refused President Cleveland's offer of the position of minister to Italy, because, he said, it might be construed as a reward for his campaign contribution.

Tales from the Stock Show

HE was evidently a visitor to the fat stock show out "at the yards." He wore a blue flannel shirt, a big black slouch hat, one of those blond overcoats you see about stock trains, and the usual accumulation of whiskers.

He walked into a fashionable downtown restaurant and stood for a moment looking around him uncertainly. A pompous head waiter, with what the vaudeville artist calls an "open faced vest," saw the farmer enter and started to head him off. Evidently the flunkey didn't think the old fellow a fit patron for his place. Looked too much like he'd order a piece of pie and a glass of buttermilk. So he stopped in front of the farmer and made vigorous attempts to shoo him out into the street.

But the stock show specimen was not to be treated in that way. He rammed one hand down into his trousers pocket and slowly pulled out an enormous roll of money. With this evidence of wealth as a weapon he shook his fist in the face of the man with the dress coat and said: "Now you run along, sonny, and be good."

Nothing awes a head waiter like the sight of a roll of bills, and he immediately offered to show the visitor to a seat. But the farmer wanted none of his assistance. At a table near by sat a young man alone, who looked as if he would not faint if some one spoke to him to whom he had not been introduced.

"Say, young fellow," said the big stock man, "can I sit down here and talk to you without showing my roll?"

The young man had overheard the conversation with the waiter and he looked up with a smiling assent.

"Say," went on the visitor, "I'm from Missouri, but I've been doing all the showing since I struck town. It's the blamedest queerest town I ever saw, too. Every place I go into they look at my jay clothes and then they try to run me out. But that roll of mine fixes 'em all right every time. Funniest thing about it all is that there ain't but two $1 bills in that roll. The boys out at the yards fixed that up for me when I started out to see the town. Just a bundle of brown paper with them two does wrapped around it. Kind-a does me good to hand these dudes a little of their own green goods game once in awhile. And I'm just aching for some of your real smart thieves to come along and pick my pocket."

The fat stock show started out as an exhibition of fat beeves, hogs, and sheep. Then a few heavy draft horses were introduced and this year, for the first time, there are some trotters and roadsters on exhibition, most of them from the stables of John Splan, the veteran trainer and driver of light harness horses. Mr. Splan has always a crowd about him, and when he is not explaining the fine points of a horse is telling some of his experiences on the turf.

"Once," he said yesterday, "I had a spell of a sporting tailor downtown. I went into his place one afternoon and there were a lot of trotting horse men standing about.

"'Charley,' I said to him, 'I'd like to make a trade with you. Will you make a suit of clothes for me and take your pay in a tip on a horse race?'

"The boys bantered him into accepting and he made the clothes. I waited until I got what I thought was a good tip and then went down and gave it to him. He put a lot of confidence in it, and I'm afraid he overplayed himself about $500. Tried to win out a whole tailor shop and stood a show of losing one, too. Well, my horse won, but only by an eyelash. The tailor was there looking on as the horses swept under the wire. Just as he got through cashing in I went up to him and said: 'Now, Charley, I'd like to get an overcoat on the same terms.'

"'Not much, old man,' he answered, 'you give too tight fits to suit me.'"

The center of attraction at the show yesterday was Challenger, the steer who on Tuesday won the grand championship and is now entitled to the ribbon as the "champion steer of America."

Challenger is a grade steer, its sire being a Hereford and its dam a cow of mixed blood. It was fed at the Nebraska experiment station by a herdsman who came right from a job as railroad brakeman to the feeding lot, and who won success simply by following exactly the printed feeding directions furnished by the professors.

Challenger gained 500 pounds in the last six months, and this is the diet on which he was fed:

One-fourth corn, one-fourth bran, one-fourth oats, a little oil meal, with prairie hay and alfalfa as roughage. During the last month he was fed sugar beets in addition. The steer lost 100 pounds during the trip to Chicago. Since May 1 the animal has been fed all it would eat and clean up well.

Burke Burnett, one of the richest and best known cattle men in the panhandle of Texas, brought several carlots of fat cattle to the show. Mr. Burnett is the owner of the famous Four-Six ranch and brand. Back in the old days, when Texas cattle were all long horns, and a Texas cowman felt uncomfortable when a neighbor crowded up within forty miles of him, Mr. Burnett used sometimes to "sit in" a game of poker. It is told of him that at one memorable poker party, in which a number of cattle kings, princes, dukes, and commoners were participating, he "skinned" his hand, and found no less than four smiling sixes. It happened that only a month before he had adopted the Four-Six brand, and, as every cattle man will understand, he felt in honor bound to back his brand. Accordingly he unbelted on the four sixes, put his herds and his ranch, and all he possessed into the pot—and fortune smiled. The next highest man held four fives.

"You know," said the old cowman, "in the old days when all range cattle were long horns a wolf stood mighty little show when he tried to pull down a calf. The calf's mother was always ready with a set of horns six feet long and as sharp as needles. When a pack of wolves got after the cattle the cows would round up all the calves in the center and form a ring around them, with their sharp horns out like a wall of bayonets.

"Now the cattle are mostly hornless, but nature has taken care of their protection. Their hoofs have got to be as hard as iron and as sharp as knives. When the wolves come around now, as they still often do, the cows put their calves in the center and line up around them in a circle, with their rear quarters out. The minute a wolf gets within kicking distance he is knocked over and, unless he gets away in a hurry, cut to pieces."

H. M. H.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

AUCTION SALE FOR BAL POUDRE TO OPEN AT 2 O'CLOCK.

Hour Changed So as Not to Conflict with Bazaar at Mrs. Pullman's, Which Also Takes Place on Saturday Afternoon—Miss Hazel Martyn to Be Married on Dec. 28—Miss Edna Owsley a Debutante of Yesterday—Weddings Celebrated.

The hour for the auction sale of boxes for the bal poudré has been changed from 4 o'clock to 2. The sale is to be held in the south parlor of the Auditorium hotel Saturday afternoon. Invitations will be issued for the affair, which will be made of social nature, tea to be served. Mr. Arthur J. Caton will act as auctioneer. The change of hour was necessitated by the fact that the bazaar for the benefit of St. Luke's hospital is also an event of Saturday, and the later hour would have kept many from appearing at Mrs. Pullman's residence for the sale.

Mrs. P. A. Valentine will leave for New York on Sunday to arrange the final details for her quadrille costume. Mrs. Harold McCormick, who will head one of the quadrille sets, will return from the east on that same day, bringing with her a costume for the ball. The rehearsals for the quadrille will be held Tuesday and Friday evening of next week at Bournique's, and private drills will take place at the homes of the leaders of the sets throughout the week. Mrs. Selfridge's set will rehearse this evening, although several members are yet to promise their names for the dance. Mrs. Arthur Caton finds she cannot conveniently take charge of a set, and has been succeeded by Mrs. Lockwood Honoré, who will have the assistance of Miss Florence Higinbotham.

Owing to the illness of her son, Mrs. Carter Harrison has named Mrs. Heaton Owsley to take her place as a leader.

Miss Hazel Martyn has selected Dec. 28 for the day of her wedding to Dr. Edward Livingston Trudeau Jr. of New York. It will be a noon ceremony at St. Chrysostom's church in Dearborn avenue. It is likely that Miss Dorothy Martyn will attend her sister as maid of honor, and there will be no bridesmaids. Dr. Trudeau's best man and ushers will be chosen from his New York friends. Dr. Trudeau left for the east on Monday, but will return to attend the bal poudré, with Miss Martyn. There will be no prenuptial entertainments for the bride elect, and it is the desire of Miss Martyn to make her wedding simple in detail. A wedding breakfast will follow the ceremony at the Virginia.

Miss Edna Owsley was a débutante of yesterday, her mother, Mrs. Heaton Owsley, introducing her at a large reception from 5 until 7 o'clock at the Owsley home, 408 Erie street. Assisting the hostess and her daughter were Mrs. Carter H. Harrison, Miss Bonnie of Louisville, who is Miss Owsley's guest, Miss Marjorie King, Miss Dorothea Johnson, Miss Lesley Johnson, Miss Harriet Smith, Miss Mabel Dick, Miss Amy Waller, Miss Eva Waller, Miss Fannie Caruthers, and Miss Houston of Louisville. After the hours a supper and dance were in order, the guests for the latter numbering over 100 young people. Mrs. and Miss Owsley will receive on Wednesday, Dec. 9 and 16.

The wedding of Miss Margaret Fairbank, daughter of the late N. K. Fairbank to Mr. Theodore Reynolds of Orange, N. J., took place yesterday at the home of Miss Fairbank's sister, Mrs. Benjamin Carpenter, in Winnetka. It was a 4 o'clock ceremony, performed by the Rt. Rev. Canon Knowles of New York. Miss Natalie Fairbank, a sister of the bride, and the Rev. George McReynolds of Kansas City were the only attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds will reside in Orange, N. J.

Miss Lillian McCarthy was another bride of yesterday, her wedding to Mr. Raymond Carlton Dudley taking place at St. Paul's church, Kenwood, at 8:30 last evening, the Rev. Edwin J. Randall, a brother-in-law of the bride, officiating. Miss McCarthy, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. McCarthy, was attended by her sister, Miss Jessie McCarthy, as maid of honor, and the maids were Miss Frances Sangston, Miss Florence Wilbur, Miss Isabel Dudley, and Miss Grace Dudley, sisters of the groom. Mr. Lawrence H. Dudley was the best man, and the groomsmen were Mr. Ralph Hastings, Mr. Henry Love Clarke, Mr. Harry W. Darrow, Mr. Edwin M. Hadley, and Mr. Charles Sumner Pike. A reception followed the ceremony at the family residence, 4800 Kimbark avenue.

Miss Maude Hambleton and Mr. Walter Kirk, both of Chicago, were married yesterday in Santa Barbara, Cal. Mr. Milton B. Kirk was his brother's best man, the bride having the attendance of three young nieces. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk will return to Chicago in a few weeks, and will spend the winter in the Hambleton home, 558 Dearborn avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Rogers Wells, 3612 Michigan avenue, gave a tea yesterday from 3 to 6 o'clock, assisted by several members of her family and a large number of friends. Among the assistants were:

Mrs. John Kenneth Mackenzie,	Mrs. Irving C. Black,
Mrs. Charles Finley Elker,	Miss Susie Hoyne, Miss Edith Kennedy, Miss Mae Coffeen,
Mrs. Charles Warren Gillett,	Miss Helen Gilbert.

Mrs. Frederick T. Haskell, 2824 Prairie avenue, gave a young people's luncheon yesterday for Miss Italia Blair. The others present were:

Miss Pauline Kehlmat,	Miss Ruth Ferry,
Miss Natalie Blair,	Miss Mildred Wells,
Miss Amy Waller,	Miss Mabel Linn,
Miss Harriet Le Grand Smith,	Miss Mary Shumway,
Miss Mary Ryerson,	Miss Caserine Winterbotham.

The following are to be the patronesses of the Harvard undergraduate dance to be given at Bournique's on the evening of Dec. 29:

Mrs. W. P. Conger,	Mrs. William R. Odell,
Mrs. Coonley Ward,	Mrs. Honoré Palmer,
Mrs. Charles R. Crane,	Mrs. John S. Runnells,
Mrs. Augustus Eddy,	Mrs. Edmund A. Russell,
Mrs. Frederick Gresley,	Mrs. Martin A. Ryerson,
Mrs. George Higginson,	Mrs. Wm. M. Scudder,
Mrs. Henry Hooper,	Mrs. Theodore Sheldon,
Mrs. Richard Howe,	Mrs. A. A. Sprague 3d,
Mrs. Charles L. Hutchinson,	Mrs. Eugene S. Talbot,
Mrs. Walter C. Larned,	Mrs. Norman Williams Jr.,
Mrs. Franklin Macveagh,	Mrs. George Yule.

The committee in charge of the dance is R. T. Crane 3d, Lyon Cobb, Theodore Sheldon Jr., Anthony Hunt, William H. Yule.

SALES OF 11,000 AUTOMOBILES ARE ESTIMATED FOR THE YEAR.

Statistics of Manufacturers Compiled to Sept. 3 Indicate a Business More than Double That Reported in 1902.

Statistics of the business of 85 per cent of the automobile manufacturers of the United States have been compiled to Sept. 3. These indicate that the actual sales for the year 1903 will be 11,000 cars, valued at $12,000,000. This is double the business of 1902, to which is added the importation of 200 cars, valued at $800,000.

The importation of cars is about the same as last year. Trade in foreign made automobiles is regarded as being at its maximum, as American manufacturers rapidly are supplying the demand. It only is a question of time, says a prominent manufacturer, when the United States will be shipping large cars to Europe in excess of the importation. The small American car already is favorably received on the other side of the water.

It is predicted that the business of 1904 will be double that of this year. All the space has been taken at the coming exhibition, Jan. 16 to Jan. 23, in the Madison Square garden, New York. An overflow exhibit will be held in the Herald exhibition hall.

HONOR MEMORY OF KOZMINSKI.

Anniversary of Death of Man for Whom School Was Named Observed by Children.

The tenth anniversary of the death of Charles Kozminski was observed yesterday by the pupils of the school at Fifty-fourth street and Englewood avenue named for him. Leslie Lewis, principal of the school, told of Mr. Kozminski's career. The latter was long a member of the board of education and was one of the main factors in the passage of the compulsory education law.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Conducted by the School of Domestic Arts and Science of Chicago. . . . .

"The most judicious use of money is to form for one's self, first of all, as pleasant and comfortable a home as is consistent with one's means. Money thus spent is money safely invested."—Edmond Demonlins.

LESSON NO. 112—The Ethical Training of Servants.

THROUGHOUT the spiritual as well as the industrial and intellectual fields of life of this day coöperative endeavor is the platform all stand upon. Social settlements and clubs, factory work and department stores, all indicate this fact, while community life, from the housekeeping of a city to the coöperative housekeeping communities, show forth this indispensable principle.

The art of home making and home keeping is essentially a coöperative working problem. It presupposes the coöperative interests of the members of the home. Does it always include as home members the working force in the kitchen and other departments in the house? Are the plans of the home and its keeping explained to our servants from the coöperative standpoint, and not given in the nature of "orders from the mistress?" Do we sometimes insist on their being Marthas and allow them no opportunity to choose the good part that Mary had from the Master? Are they not cumbered with much serving? These are conditions that we who are privileged to work with these people as with free souls ought to answer.

Let us stop here for a moment and read Ruskin's definition of the essential qualities of a cook: "It means the knowledge of Medea, and of Circe, and of Calypso, and of Helen, and of Rebekah, and of the queen of Sheba. It means the knowledge of all herbs, and fruits, and balms, and spices, and of all that is healing and sweet in fields and groves, and savory in meats; it means carefulness, and inventiveness, and watchfulness, and willingness, and readiness of appliance; it means the economy of your great grandmothers, and the science of modern chemists; it means much tasting and no wasting; it means English thoroughness and French art, and Arabian hospitality; and it means, in fine, that you are to be perfectly and always 'ladies' ('loafgivers'); and as you are to see imperatively that everybody has something pretty to put on, so you are to see, yet more imperatively, that everybody has something nice to eat."

When we consider this truthful definition and the human material that comes into our kitchens, the need of a working plan of coöperation becomes imperative.

A good example of what may be done in the relationship between mistress and maids can be illustrated from the life at Gertrude house.

Gertrude house is the home of a student body of teachers. It is easier to experiment with the working force here than in many other places because of the coöperative principles throughout the entire household.

The kitchen family includes two Irish girls, one Italian, one German, one Finn, one American, and two men (one Swede and one Finn). But for the spirit that unites the differences the problems might be many, both from the racial as well as the religious viewpoints.

One experiment in domestic circles which the head of the household has made successful has been that of a regularly planned bimonthly meeting with the "help." At these meetings questions come from either mistress or maids about supplies, work done, or needed changes or adjustments. The maids feel as free to make their requests as their leader. Here have been solved practical difficulties which easily lead to irritation and an unhappy domestic atmosphere. An interested group in all household undertakings and a ready cheerfulness that is spontaneous has resulted from these gatherings. The oiling of the household machinery is only part of these meetings. The girls bring their sewing here and have help in the accomplishment of it. While they are busy the leader either reads or tells them of experiences which are the result of travel or study. Free discussion is carried on as to the spirit and methods of the servants' work as well as of the entire household, which brings about a better understanding in the relations of employed and employers.

Indefinite directions and a lack of clearness in stating plans is often the cause of unsatisfactory work.

Through the assistance given them in their sewing, ideas of suitable materials and color combinations, neatness and care of both dress and body are touched upon in such a way that it becomes their desire to do the wholesome things. The reading and conversation furnish wholesome thought to the mind. The Jungle Books have proven great favorites.

The result of these meetings is evidenced in the wholesome relations existing between the girls and the absence of gossiping. Whatever needs to be discussed is brought to the meeting or taken directly to headquarters.

Another result is a common endeavor to work together. The cook has helped clean rooms and the laundress has peeled potatoes. This service has been voluntarily offered when there has been need, and without suggestion from the mistress. Above all, those in charge are always welcomed in the kitchen, and no matter how sudden may be their appearance things are always being carried on as though under supervision.

The five and ten minute conversations those in charge have with the working force daily is another experiment that has simplified many problems. Then the plans for the day are talked over, and cheerful faces are brought to the day's work instead of grumblings and tiredness. Each employé has a certain amount of time off from work each day.

It is the endeavor of Gertrude house to make the work of its help something more than routine service. Their rooms are as light and comfortable as those of members of the household. The family numbers over sixty, and the servants do not rest upon a bed of roses. They work steadily and hard. While their remuneration is not the maximum standard, it is considered average price for the work demanded. They are dealt with frankly and truthfully, and the response is parallel in the main.

The aims at Gertrude house are to seek for the right spirit in work, to secure an environment beneficial to all, and to organize daily labor, to make it creative, cheerful, and efficient.

Interest in good books, occasional attendance at wholesome plays and orchestral concerts, with glimpses at art exhibits, evidences growing appreciation of things thoroughly worth while, and proves that the experiment begun some years ago at Gertrude house can be the encouraging experience of all households. JESSIE HOFFMAN.

Household Hints.

Increased means and increased leisure are the two civilizers of man.—Disraeli.

Motor Car Etiquette—

Is a new and rigid code of the proprieties that is springing into being and which makes the novice in mortoring dread to betray gaucherie and ignorance of the manners and customs of the car when invited as guest on a motor trip.

The first point is always to be ready to the moment when a car calls for you. And you should suit your clothes to the weather and to the special needs of the motor car.

No girl who goes motoring should wear open work stockings, thin "swagger" shoes or French heels. Often she has to get down into a muddy, dusty road while repairs are done.

The tool box is generally in a little cupboard below the two box seats, so she must move if any repair by the roadside becomes necessary. Also it is bad form to wear "garden party" shoes and stockings on a motor car.

And remember, too, that a breakdown by the way may end in a three or four mile walk to a railway station, leaving the car stranded in the road. Your decorative transparent stockings and Parisian heels will look out of place on a cross country tramp, to say nothing of torture.

A man who has to turn back when a storm comes on because a girl has come out in a beflowered picture hat, garden party frock, and no macintosh will be unlikely to invite her again.

And nothing gets on his motor nerves so much as a companion on the box seat who wears a "floppy" hat, which she has to hold on with both hands directly the car makes a little speed.

Of course, the seat beside the driver is the post of honor, as on coach or degcart.

It has always been the custom to put the favorite girl—from the driver's point of view—beside himself. And a motorist worth his salt claims this privilege on his car.

If the driver is an amateur, and not sure of his mechanical skill he may have to pack youth and beauty behind in the tonneau, and put the chauffeur in the seat beside him.

Never feel hurt if your dearest man friend, fiancé, or husband does not raise his hat to you when you meet him driving a motor car.

Raising the cap is never attempted while a car is in motion. A military salute is the good form greeting of a motor driver.

The moment the car stops the chauffeur leaps out—as a groom does—to open the door of the tonneau behind. The driver adjusts his machinery, and then assists the lady on the box seat to alight.

Some motorists carry one or two pretty wraps for possible woman guests. There are called "passenger coats."

New Rice Puddings—

LEMON RICE—Cook three ounces of rice in a pint of milk till tender, then sweeten to taste and flavor with essence of lemon. Serve with this sauce: Beat one egg until stiff with two ounces of sugar, then add a gill of boiling water and flavor with essence of lemon.

RICE PUDDING WITHOUT EGGS—Two quarts of milk, two-thirds of a cupful of rice, a cupful of sugar, a piece of butter as large as a walnut, a teaspoonful of cinamon, a little nutmeg, and a pinch of salt. Put into a pudding dish (well buttered), set into a moderate oven, stir it once or twice until it begins to cook. Let it remain in the oven about two hours (until it is the consistency of cream). Eat hot or cold.

BOILED RICE PUDDING, NO. 1.—One cupful of cold boiled rice, one cupful of sugar, four eggs, a pinch of soda, and a pinch of salt. Put it all in a bowl and beat it until it is light and white. Beat four ounces of butter to a cream, put it into the pudding, with ten drops of essence of lemon. Beat all together for five minutes. Butter a mold, pour the pudding into it, and boil two hours.

BOILED RICE PUDDING, NO. 2.—Wash two teacupfuls of rice and soak it in water for half an hour; then turn off the water, and mix the rice with half a pound of raisins, stoned and cut in halves; add a little salt; tie the whole in a cloth, leaving room for the rice to swell twice its natural size, and boil two hours in plenty of water. Serve with wine sauce.

Worth While—

WHEN DRESSMAKING, sometimes one gets a spot of machine oil on the article that is being made. Rub with a little turpentine and the stain will disappear.

WHEN DARNING STOCKINGS, run a thread around each hole before beginning and draw till the edges lie flat. This makes the hole appear smaller, and it is much easier to mend.

ENAMEL BATHS—If rubbed with a soft rag all stains and discoloration of the enamel will disappear. Turpentine has the same effect, and can also be used for zinc tubs and pails with excellent results.

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GOOD IN PROBLEM PLAYS.

LESS HARMFUL THAN FARCES, DECLARES MRS. J. D. SHERMAN.

Tells Woman's Club Members That Lessons Are Taught by Handling Right and Wrong Frankly and with a Moral Purpose—Taste of Theater Going Public Plainly Degenerating—Grand Opera Is Becoming Only a Social Function, Says Mrs. Perce.

"I think less harm is done to the younger members of the theater going public by the problem play, where questions of right and wrong are handled frankly and with a moral purpose, than by the less frank and more insidious performance where jest is made of everything."

This declaration yesterday was made by Mrs. John D. Sherman in an essay on "The Theatrical Syndicate," read at the Chicago Woman's club. In the discussion that followed it was asserted that the large attendance at the performances of "Mr. Blue Beard" and the comparative neglect of "Ulysses" is an eloquent outward sign of the degeneracy of the public's taste, theatrically.

Stage Not What It Should Be.

"The influence of the stage should be elevating and should educate and instruct as well as entertain," declared Mrs. Sherman. "The stage today is not what it should be. In America we have no real theater going public.

"On the face of it, one would say that no young persons in the formative stage of mental and moral development should be allowed to witness a problem play, because it is indecent. It is indecent because of its suggestiveness, because it treats plainly of certain phases of life which the Anglo-Saxon is prone to ignore at least in public. If the problem play is indecent, why should any one of mature years and of respectability lend it the support of her presence?

"Call the ordinary problem play indecent, if you will, but it cannot be denied that from one standpoint it is as moral as any play. The end is the same; it is the medium that is different. 'Everyman,' for instance, aims to instruct and elevate by pointing out the good and showing virtue's reward; the problem play, by pointing out the evil and punishing the sin."

Would Reform Theater Goers.

Mrs. I. S. Blackwelder urged that the best thing to do was to urge the public to forsake extravaganzas and go to see "Ulysses." Miss Isabel McDougal insisted that a play does not need to be good morally to be a good play and that the quality of goodness must be determined by the constructive perfection of a production.

"A well constructed play," she urged, "always draws, no matter whether it is irreproachable or not. I was glad to hear the club applaud Mrs. Sherman's statement that the problem play is not so reprehensible.

Mrs. L. W. Perce declared that, "although the grand opera fast is becoming only a social function, it is folly for a handful of women to talk about reforming the stage."

At the meeting of the education department in the forenoon Supt. Cooley urged the advantages of training in domestic science and household arts in the schools, and declared that culture can be received through the hands as well as the mind.

Paralyzed by Forty Foot Fall.

Robert Craig, a structural ironworker employed on the new Simplex factory in Hammond, Ind., fell forty feet from a steel truss yesterday. He is at St. Margaret's hospital completely paralyzed. Craig's home is in South Chicago.

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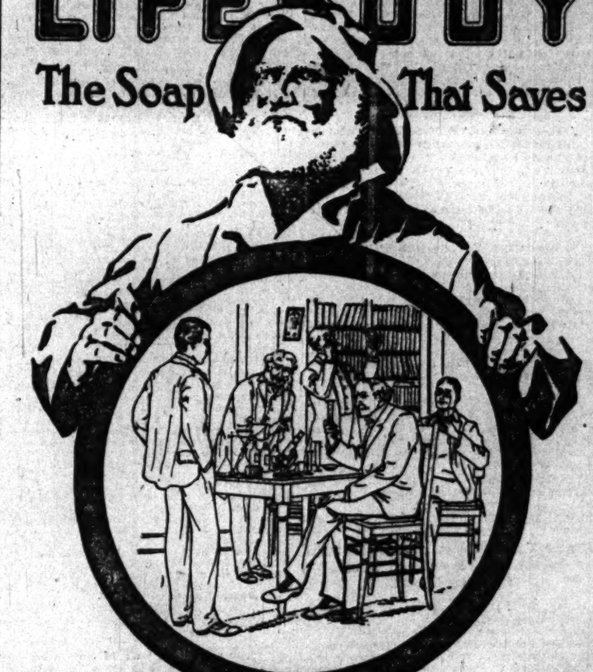

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HORSES FINISH IN CLOSE ORDER.

Sensational Race Winds Up the Day's Sport at Oakland Track.

DON DOMO OUT OF FORM.

Gray Sprinter Badly Beaten by Cascine at Five and a Half Furlongs.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The most sensational finish of the racing season took place in the last race at Oakland this afternoon. Seven of the nine starters finished noses and heads apart. They came sweeping down almost the entire length of the track, which made it extremely difficult to place the horses at the finish. The judges gave The Fretter the race, with Dodie S. second and Grail third.

Many thought Dodie S. had won, while it was held that Rosarie finished inside the money.

It was a selling race at 1 3-16 miles. Grail ruled favorite, with The Fretter second choice. Illowaho led to the stretch, then The Fretter took command. There was a general closing up in the last furlong, and the close finish among so many horses created a decided sensation.

Much interest attached to the 2 year old race at 5½ furlongs, as Cascine, Bear Catcher, and Don Domo were among the starters. Cascine led in favoritism, with Don Domo a strongly played second choice. Bear Catcher, who has developed into a bad actor, played backward and forward at the post, and was finally left standing. When the barrier went up Cascine got off flying and won with great ease. Otto Stifel beating Don Domo for the place. The latter had a track to his liking, but is clearly of little account at present. Cascine is in rare form and can beat any 2 year old that has sported colors this season.

The handicap at one mile had ten starters. For some inexplicable reason Beau Ormonde was made favorite. A capital start was effected. Fossil, Claude, and Albula were leaders at the head of the stretch, the first named winning handily by over a length from Divina, that nosed out Claude for the place. Jackson on Divina made his run too late.

Summaries:

Weather clear; track fast.

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Laureata, 104 pounds [Adkins], 6 to 1, won; Alice Carey, 99 [Reed], 9 to 5, second; Bee Rosewater, 99 [Chandler], 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼. Ora Viva, Gibraltar, Cherries, Miss Pum In Boots, Battidor, Madam Bishop, Sir Christopher, Piratical, and Cathello ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Shotgun, 107 pounds [J. Martin], 4 to 5, won; Hagerdon, 104 [Birkenruth], 4 to 1, second; Sad Sam, 108 [Adkins], 11 to 5, third. Time, :59¾. Sir Tom Tiddler, Nervator, Revolt, and Water Power ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs, selling—Rollick, 104 pounds [D. Hall], 8 to 5, won; Quiet, 108 [King], 20 to 1, second; Coryat S., 112 [Otis], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼. Lapidus, The Don, Step Around, Alta G., Albemarle, Quatre, Canejo, Hippona, and Lurena ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Fossil, 103 pounds [Adkins], 4 to 1, won; Divina, 106 [L. Jackson], 3 to 1, second; Claude, 120 [J. Daly], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:40¾. Albula, Ink, Leader, Ecnic, Beau Ormonde, and Solon ran.

Fifth race, 1-16 miles—Cascine, 115 pounds [Adkins], 3 to 2, won; Otto Stiefel, 103 [D. Hall], 8 to 1, second; Don Domo, 115 [Ferrell], 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:07. Col. Maxums, Mabel Clare, Lady Poteen, Dargrin, and Moalto ran. Bear Catcher left at the post.

Sixth race, 1 3-16 miles—The Fretter, 95 pounds [Kunz], 4 to 1, won; Dodie S., 92 [L. Booker], 6 to 1, second; Grail, 101 [Chandler], 3 to 2, third. Time, 2:01¾. The Ledsom, Rosarie, Rio Shannon, Illowaho, Position, and Expedient ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 7 furlongs—No Friend, 96 pounds; Rinaldo, Alf About, 92; Sir Christopher, Grand Duchess, Silver Fizz, Rose of May, 87; Achilles, 95, Velma Clark, 91; Aloha, 104.

Second race, Futurity course—Sir Appleby, Telephone, 100 pounds; The Bugaboo, 100; Floriana Belle, William Parrish, Bombardier, 97; Dr. Fa, Brute, The Jew, 99; Slimy, 102; Ananias, Otto Stifel, 105; Judge, 112.

Third race, 6 furlongs—St. Ichelo, Geheimnis, Helias, Martinmas, 107 pounds; Allopath, 99; Jarretierre d'Or, Rosie Ban, Ping, 110; San Nicholas, 115.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Egg Nogg Tamm, 95 pounds; Snark, Gawaine, Burdock, Galanthus, 101; Dr. W. Trahern, Myriad Dancer, 102; Illowaho, Outburst, 104; Buccleuth, 106.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Quiet, 96 pounds; Anvil, Kitty Kelly, 100; Lizzie Wagoner, 105; Nellie Forrest, 115; Farmer Jim, 122; Locket, 119; The Guardsman, 116; Court Maid, 105; Widow's Mite, 105.

Third race, selling, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs—Corkine, 102 pounds; Coppelia, 99; Clear the Arena, 99; The Bowery, 94; Burdock, 94; Gold Dome, 98; Yulla M., 92; Sualo Christian, 91; Mamie Melton, 90; Scotch Plume, 99; Hands Up, 89; Alwaro, 98; Woodahack, 96; Ember Lass, 96.

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Sixth race, handicap, 3 years and up, 1 mile and 70 yards—Ice Water, 128 pounds; Duke of Kendal, 120; Illyria, 106; Lady Potentata, 106; Arden, 102; Mrs. Frank Foster, 90.

WINTER RACING AT BENNINGS.

Only Warmth Is in the Close Finishes—Seagram Colt Is Heavily Backed.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The racing at Bennings today was attended by many of the features of the old New Jersey tracks. It snowed freely at Baltimore, only an hour's journey from here, and at noon the Bennings track was slightly covered with snowflakes.

Still the racing was keenly contested, that for the Bennings Special affording a really thrilling struggle between the three placed horses, Tribes Hill, Trepan, and Colonsay. The last mentioned had the worst position, wedged in as he was between Trepan on his right and Tribes Hill on his left.

Castalian won the third race. The surprise of this was the heavy backing of J. E. Seagram's imported colt Cloten, upon whom a "killing" would have been made if he had won. As it was, he was a close third, in spite of a stumble.

First race, selling, 6 furlongs—Gold Dome, 84 pounds [E. Walsh], 3 to 1, won; Revelle, 100 [Hedfern], 5 to 2, second; Andrattus, 113 [W. Miller], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5. Henry Clay Rye, Waxinaid, Gamekeeper, Raider, Pleasant Memories, Many Thanks, Ithan, Tomcod, and Totness ran.

Second race, maiden 2 year olds, 5 furlongs—Lady Mirthful, 107 pounds [Botsen], 3 to 1, won; Huopola, 107 [Redfern], 5 to 1, second; Cantasapha, 107 [Thomasell], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 1-5. Red Light, My Alice, Mary Aud, Moneshord, Cheripe, Belle of Belle Meade, Miss Shylock, High Heels, Destiny, Esher Lee, Catherine Ruth, Mountain Breeze, Esperance, Belle Claire, and Ancestor ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Castalian, 106 pounds [T. Burns], 11 to 5, won; Foxy Kane, 111 [Treuber], 6 to 1, second; Cloten, 108 [Wonderly], 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:14 2-5. Sweet Alice, Stolen Moments, Toscanna, and Imris ran.

Fourth race, the Bennings special, 1¼ miles—Tribes Hill, 116 pounds [Pickering], 7 to 2, won; Trepan, 102 [Redfern], 2 to 1, second; Colonsay, 109 [H. Michaels], 13 to 5, third. Time, 2:43 4-5. Gaviota and Erda ran.

Fifth race, handicap, 1 mile—Afforten, 108 pounds [T. Burns], 6 to 5, won; Sourire, 106 [Treuber], 2 to 1, second; Young Henry, 128 [Redfern], 4 to 1, third. Sea Shore, April Showers, Himself, and Marjoram ran.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Rough Rider, 98 pounds [Crimmins], 6 to 1, won; Dramatist, 98 [Orland], 2 to 1, second; Courtmaid, 90 [Olney], 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:59 2-5. Dark Planet, Stonewall, Scortic, Star and Garter, and Hier Apparent ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 6 furlongs—Valley Forge, 113 pounds; Essene, 115; Red Damsel, 115; Belle of the Ring, 115; Worry, 115; Mary Worth, 115; Sweet Jane, 110; Erish Witch, 110; Ernestus, 110; Our Nugget, 110; Fine Sheppard, 110; Untewok, 110; Nova Scotia, 115; Squid, 110; Burning Glass, 110; Obligate, 110; Pipa, 110; Maraver Kent, 110; Hilarity, 110.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs—Henry Clay Rye, 118 pounds; Meistersinger, 118; Bon Mot, 118; Ali Baba, 113; Paul Clifford, 113; Hunter Lass, 116; Nellie Forrest, 115; Farmer Jim, 112; Locket, 112; The Guardsman, 110; Court Maid, 105; Widow's Mite, 105.

Third race, selling, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs—Corkine, 102 pounds; Coppelia, 99; Clear the Arena, 99; The Bowery, 94; Burdock, 94; Gold Dome, 98; Yulla M., 92; Sualo Christian, 91; Mamie Melton, 90; Scotch Plume, 99; Hands Up, 89; Alwaro, 98; Woodahack, 96; Ember Lass, 96.

Fourth race, high weight, selling, for foreign gentlemen riders—Demurrer, 143 pounds; Irreparent, 142; Arraheen, 140; Paul Clifford, 140; Maiden, 140; Main Spring, 138; Judith Campbell, 135; Star and Garter, 135.

Fifth race, maiden 2 year olds, 6 furlongs, selling—Hermetic, 112; Modesa, 112; Iberian, 112; Bartender, 112; Bronx, 112; Ogonta, 112; Eclectic, 109; Magic Flute, 109; Lady Lavish, 109; Tide, 109; Bill Curtis, 109; Redman, 104.

Sixth race, handicap, 3 years and up, 1 mile and 70 yards—Ice Water, 128 pounds; Duke of Kendal, 120; Illyria, 106; Lady Potentata, 106; Arden, 102; Mrs. Frank Foster, 90.

JOCKEY FULLER IS IN CHICAGO.

Successful Eastern Rider Arrives for a Brief Visit to His Parents in Campbell Park.

Grover Cleveland Fuller, probably the most successful jockey on the eastern tracks last season, arrived in Chicago yesterday to spend a few days with his parents before going to New Orleans to join his employer, Archie Zimmer.

Fuller's rise to fame was the most sudden of that achieved by any American jockey. Summer before last he rode on the Chicago tracks without attracting any attention.

Fuller has grown considerably in the last year, being heavier and a little taller. Next season Senator T. D. Sullivan will have first call on his services on the eastern tracks.

The boy is a son of George A. Fuller, the vice president and manager of the Grand Rapids Furniture company, who lives in Campbell Park.

HELPED BY THE NEW SOIL

NEW ORLEANS TRACK SHOWS LITTLE EFFECT OF TUESDAY'S RAIN.

Improvements to the Course Promise to Benefit It During Winter Meeting — Witfull Is Beaten by Luralighter in the Handicap, While Ancke Is a Poor Third—Rainland Best Among the Two Year Olds—Big Ben Shows His Heels to New York.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The track at the Fair grounds this afternoon had almost fully recovered from the downpour of yesterday. Its condition was gratifying alike to horsemen and patrons of racing. The combination of new soil and tile drains seems to be a success. It now seems likely that long seasons of mud after a wet spell, which racegoers were accustomed to in former seasons, will not be so prevalent as heretofore. Today the track was good from fence to fence, and it is not unlikely the course will be fast again tomorrow.

There was plenty of variety to the afternoon's racing. There was quite a suggestion of class in several of the races.

The stewards for the first time since racing was inaugurated here refused the entries of a horse for the alleged use of "dope," and began an investigation to establish the fact immediately after the race was finished. Patrica, a 3 year old filly, by Top Gallant, which ran in the interests of the local firm of Carrano & Co., was so crazy at the post that it took all the strength of Starter Fitzgerald's assistant to hold her. She broke next to last, but ran through the bunch like a scared rabbit for half a mile, then quit, and dropped back to last place almost as fast as she went through her field. The saddle was hardly off her when Steward Bryan ordered future entries of her stable refused and began an investigation.

Luralighter Beats Witful.

There were two handicaps on the card—one for 2 year olds at six furlongs, and an all aged affair at one mile and seventy yards. Rainland, who is perhaps the best of his age at the track, won the former in easy fashion, and Luralighter beat Witful, the even money favorite, in the latter. Witful carried 112 pounds, against 101 on Luralighter. Notwithstanding Luralighter beat Witful in the Inaugural handicap, and had considerable weight off from that race, her odds were 16 to 1. Luralighter was off with the track and led almost to the end by two lengths, but tired in the last fifty yards, and her margin at the end was half a length. Ancke was a length behind Witful when the line was crossed.

Rainland picked up five pounds as a penalty for winning yesterday, making his weight 119, and, although he conceded a lot of weight to Exclamation, Lady Free Knight, and others, he was the betting choice at 8 to 5. The field was closely bunched for a quarter of a mile, when Rainland worked his way to the front and had only Exclamation to beat in the run through the stretch. This he did and finished full of running, while Exclamation had all he could do to save the place by a nose from Lady Free Knight.

Big Ben Outruns New York.

Big Ben, which raced at the Chicago tracks, ran away from New York, the fast eastern sprinter, in the fifth race, which was at six furlongs. They carried equal weight, but Big Ben held New York safe all the way and won by a margin of four lengths.

Morning Star won the five furlong event for 2 year olds in a common canter. She was an odds on favorite.

Bob Hilliard, backed heavily by Zimmer and his following, won the mile selling event for 3 year olds in a common canter.

Seventeen books did business in the ring. The stables of Sam Rothert, Frank Arthur, and R. J. Gilmore arrived from Cincinnati today.

New Orleans Summaries Dec. 2.

Weather clear; track slow.

First race, ¾ mile, purse $400, 2 year olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	¾	Str.	Fin.
9-10	Morn. Star, 105 [H. Phil'ps]	2	1½	2½	2	1h
4-1	Parrish, 108 [Helgesen]	1	2½	1½	1	2h
20-1	Trossachs, 101 [W. Robbins]	3	3h	3h	3	3½

Time, 1:08 1-5. Interrogation, 98 pounds [Daly]; Tamasese, 107 [Gannon]; Snow Cap, 102½ [Hodgson]; The Brown Monarch, 101 [Lindsey]; Ora McKinney, 105 [J. Hennessy]; Sextette, 101 [R. Murphy]; Frank Bell, 106 [J. Minder]; Escalero, 103 [W. Fisher], finished as named. Winner, J. Phillips' br. f., by Loyalist—Satellite. Start good. Won easily. Morning Star made a show of her field.

Second race, 1 mile, purse $400, 3 year-olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.
8-1	Mauser, 100 [Livingston]	4	4½	2½	1½	1h
10-1	Tioga, 100 [Sinclair]	2	1½	1½	2½	2½
8-1	Sarah Maxim, 100 [H. Ph'ps]	7	6h	5hx	3½	3nk

Time, 1:46. Lampoon, 103 pounds [Helgesen]; Spec, 96 [L. Wilson]; Ponca, 90 [C. Howell]; Calcutta, 97 [W. Robbins]; Mafeking, 96 [J. Mollytre]; Hegira, 97 [Calvit], finished as named. Winner, W. Walker's b. c., by Foul Shot—The Kitten. Start good. Won handily. Mauser was interfered with at the first turn and had to go to the outside to get up. Sarah Maxim bumped into Lampoon a couple of times in the last sixteenth. Ma'meelle quit.

Third race, ¾ mile, purse $500, 2 year olds, handicap:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.
7-5	Rainland, 119 [Crawford]	5	4½	2½	1nk	1½
7-2	Exclamation, 109 [Daly]	3	2½	1½	2½	2½
6-5	L. F. Knight, 100 [L. Wilson]	4	2nk	5	4nk	3c

Time, 1:18. Cyprienne, 106 pounds [Wishard]; Wreath of Ivy, 106 [R. Polak], finished as named. Winner, M. Goldblatt's b. f., by Meddler—Pabel. Start good. Won handily. Rainland shouldered his weight in grand style. Wreath of ivy tired.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, purse $600, all ages, handicap:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.
7-10	Big Ben, 110 [W. Hicks]	1	1½	1½	1½	1½
8-5	New York, 110 [W. Fisher]	6	2h	2c	2½	2½
13-1	Aggie Lewis, 96 [W. Otis]	4	4h	3½	3½	3½

Time, 1:15 1-5. Spencerian, 97 pounds [L. Wilson]; Barkelmore, 102 [H. Phillips]; Tom Collins, 105 [R. Woods]; Gleamer, 109 pounds [Sterling], finished as named. Winner, S. W. Sweett & Co.'s br. c., by Ben Strome—Mint Julip. Start good. Won easily.

Sixth race, 1 mile, purse $400, 3 year olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.
8-1	Bob Hilliard, 115 [Robeson]	3	2½	1½	1½	1½
8-1	Lola L., 99 [H. Phillips]	5	6½	4½	5½	2½
3-1	Exapo, 101 [Minder]	2	3½	5½	4½	3c

Time, 1:43 3-5. Roger Smith, 90 pounds [T. Hennessy]; Glendon, 96 [Calvit]; Courage, 91 [H. Gilmore]; Fair Lass, 102 [Lindsey]; Araxes, 97 [R. Murphy]; Mr. Shelly, 100 [J. Hennessy]; Patrick, 98 [C. Howell], finished as named. Winner, T. D. Sullivan's ch. c., by Madison—Lythe. Start fair. Won easily. Bob Hilliard was crowded back at the first turn, but found an opening next to the inside rail. Courage showed speed.

New Orleans Entries.

First race, ¾ mile, 2 year olds—Sweet Nell, 100 pounds; Josette, 109; Sly Boots, 109; Out Out, ch. c., by Trueborn—Miss Albert, 104; Invincible, 97; Cardinal Wolsey, 94; Shoogy, 94; A Truant, 94; Hickory Corners, 94; Safeguard, 94.

Second race, ¾ mile, 2 year olds, maidens—I Must, 112 pounds; Hiawatha, 110; Sea Shark, b. c., by Pirate of Penzance—Quetta, 110; King's Charm, 110; Tamarix, 110; Step Aside, 107; Lights Out, ch. c., by Meddler—Gleam, 107; Rond Maid, 107; Montebank, 107; King Croker, 107; Ryevale, 107; Mr. Pickwick, 107.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, all ages—Ben Chanee, 106 pounds; Little Elkin, 102; Potente, 102.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, all ages, handicap—New York, 119 pounds; Miss Pat, 100; Huzzah, 100; Miss Aubrey, 95; Mad Mullah, 93; Mamaster II., 93.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—Bard of Avon, 116 pounds; Mynheer, 109; Captain Gaines, 107; Ondurman, 106; Alpaca, 103; Blasmint, 103; Choice, 103; Athesia, 103; Dutch Carter, 103; Adelante, 103; Helen Print, 100; Pirate's Daughter, 98.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Attila, 103 pounds; Badger, 103; Bean, 103; Whitmore, 103; Burgoyne, 103; Emma S., 103; Florrie S., 98; Eliza Dillon, 96; Hal's Hundred, 96; One More, 96; Queen of Dixiana, 93; Birdwood, 93.

LISSAK BRINGS THE TOP PRICE.

Sale of Thoroughbred Stock at Lexington—John E. Madden the Largest Purchaser.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 2.—Among the consignments at the Fasig-Tipton sale today were brood mares and stallions from W. C. Whitney and yearlings from Milton Young and S. C. Lyne. The top price of the day was brought by Lissak, sold to Henry J. Martin of Versailles, Ky., for $4,100. Eighty-eight horses brought $36,200, an average of $297 a head.

The best sales were:

Lissak, br. s., imp. Joy Alart, dam Capability, $4,100, to Henry Martin, Versailles, Ky.

Ballyhoo Bey, br. c., 3, Kingston, dam Ballyhoo, passed the Whitney sale, a reserve bid on him of $15,000. No one bid that much.

Feu Feu, b. m., imp. Meddler—Hypocrite, 1903, to Edward Corrigan, Lexington, Ky.

Zantippe, ch. m., 12, Onondaga—Sister Monica, $500, to Woodford Brothers, Paris, Ky.

Ethan Mar, b. c., 2, by Hanover—Midia, $700, to C. J. Enright, Lexington, Ky.

Nihil, b. m., 14, Hindoo—Francesca, $500, to Catesby Woodford, Paris, Ky.

Thespia, b. m., 5, by Meddler—Peg Woffington, $2,025, to E. Corrigan, Lexington, Ky.

Paman, b. m., 5, by Hamburg—Pastorella, $2,000, to John E. Madden, Lexington, Ky.

Puritania, b. m., 8, imp. Meddler—Rose Standish, $875, to Edward Corrigan.

Aurocomite, b. c., 2, by King Ernest—Belinda, $500, to John E. Madden.

Margarita II., b. m., 9, Strathmore—Reina Victoria, $625, to Edward Corrigan.

Ada, ch. m., 5, by Cayuga—Reckon, $750, to C. J. Enright, Lexington, Ky.

Dawning, b. m., 9, Longfellow—Adele M., $550, to James E. Clay, Lexington, Ky.

CHANCE TO SEE GRIM TONIGHT.

"Human Punching Bag" to Meet Hugo Kelly at a West Side Show.

YANGER TO BOX MURPHY.

Local Boy Matched with Boston Lad by the Watita League Manager.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

Joe Grim, the "human punching bag" who withstood the blows of Fitzsimmons, Carter, Maher, Gans, and other notable pugilists without receiving his quietus, will be presented to Chicago followers of boxing at the Kingston Social club's show at Ogden and California avenues tonight. Grim's opponent will be Hugo Kelly, the local middleweight, and the pair will furnish the windup.

The easterner's fistic reputation rests mainly on his ability to take punishment without showing the "white feather," but he probably has an idea of how to hand out a wallop or two in return. From what is known of him as a fighter, Kelly should experience no difficulty in outpointing him. Hugo really believes he will knock his man out, but that seems hardly possible inasmuch as fighters of better quality failed to do the trick. Both men have trained hard for the battle and should be in condition.

The semi-windup will bring together Clarence Forbes and Tony Moran of New York, who will clash at 124 pounds. Other contests will be between Walter Parker and Jack Gill at 122 pounds, and Young Fagin and Mat Robinson at 108 pounds.

Benny Yanger was yesterday matched to contest the windup with Hugh Murphy at the Watita league's boxing show next Tuesday night. Murphy will be remembered as the lad who gave Champion Young Corbett a stiff eleven round battle in Boston a short while ago. Although defeated, the little easterner worried the champion quite a bit before he went down and out. This will be Yanger's first contest since he lost to Eddie Hanlon on the coast, and he will do his utmost to beat Murphy to sustain his reputation. Johnny Mack, manager of Murphy, accepted Benny's terms, which call for catch-weights, as Yanger refused to make weight for either Murphy or Jimmy Briggs, whom Manager White endeavored to secure. Murphy will reach this city next Sunday.

The probability is Hughey McPadden and Tommy Mowatt will be matched to box the main event at the Watita club on Dec. 15.

Jack O'Brien, the Philadelphia middleweight, who is out after Tommy Ryan's title, arrived in Chicago from San Francisco last night. Jack is glad to meet Jack Williams at Philadelphia next Saturday night, but will remain over to arrange, if possible, a six and a twenty round fight with Ryan. O'Brien made an effort to meet Ryan when he passed through en route to the coast, and Tommy, hearing he was in town, came over from his farm in St. Joseph, Mich., to talk the matter over, but missed the Philadelphian by a few hours. Both men are in the city at present and will meet today and try to fix up both matches. Should they fail to come to an agreement Jack will try to inveigle Fitzsimmons into a match. He met the old man last night and talked the matter over. While Bob did not say he would fight him, he intimated he would get into harness again. O'Brien said the Fitz-Gardner fight was slow after the sixth round; that Bob's hands were knocked out of commission, and that Gardner seemed afraid to force the fighting.

It was loudly whispered about town yesterday that a new fistic organization was being formed in the Eighteenth ward and that its arena would be pitched in the Twelfth Street Turner hall. Those directly interested are away up in politics and have the required pull to secure permits. The supposition is it will be run on the same lines as the Watita league.

The West End Athletic club of St. Louis, which has been out of business for quite a while, intends to resume, and yesterday Manager Houghton offered a purse of $800 for a ten round battle between Benny Yanger and Hughey McPadden. The game in the Mound City was on a poor financial footing before it was ordered closed by the authorities, so the managers of the fighters turned down the offer. A Kansas City club is also after Yanger and McPadden.

Jack McClelland, the Pittsburg featherweight, and Charlie Neary, the boss fighter of Milwaukee, will hook up in a six round tilt at Milwaukee tomorrow night.

Jack O'Keefe's showing against Jack Daly at the Watita league Tuesday night was not up to expectations, and the probability is Sig Hart will go after him with Buddy Ryan.

MEETING OF INDOOR LEAGUERS.

Winter Baseball Men Are Anxious to Secure Two Downtown Halls for Their Games.

Twelve clubs were represented at the meeting of the Chicago Indoor Baseball league held at the Grand Pacific hotel last night and communications were received from two more. As far as enthusiasm is concerned, there is every prospect of a highly successful season, the only drawback at present being the difficulty in securing suitable halls.

Committees appointed on this subject were unable to report anything definite, and the following men were appointed to make further investigation and report at next meeting to be held on Monday night: J. Sullivan, south side; J. Tuss, west side; W. F. Corey, north side.

It is the plan of the league to secure two centrally located halls in different sections of the city and play all the games in them. In the event of twelve or more clubs the league will probably be divided into two sections, the winners in each division meeting in a final match for the championship.

President R. L. Welch reported plenty of players were in sight, as a number of former stars of the gaelic diamond were anxious to play again. If the halls secured are sufficiently commodious it is possible the small league ball may be used.

The clubs represented were: Spaldings, W. F. Corey; Northwestern, O. W. Coz; Seneca, W. Kelleher; Gates, H. Vanderplow; Warrens, W. A. Callahan; Princeton, C. W. Vogel; White Star, F. P. Carey; La Salle, J. J. Rooney; Young Men's Lyceum, G. Dafenbach; Feilx, W. Krusten; Summerdale, J. W. Street; Jungfrau, Mat Todt. Communications were received from the Pranhoes and Chicoras.

WILL ASK FOR THIRTY DAYS.

New Jockey Club at St. Louis Plans Only a Brief Meeting for Next Season.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The Union Jockey club will incorporate for $250,000, the papers being forwarded to Jefferson City today. Other important business was transacted, including the election of Joseph A. Duffy as president of the new organization and P. J. Carmody as general manager. The remaining officers will be selected at a later meeting. The following were selected as the board of directors: P. J. Carmody, Joseph A. Duffy, M. E. Roundtree, Michael Hanick, Thomas Hickman, W. J. Frank, J. P. Collins, J. H. Blythe, Joseph T. Tracy, Harry Harris, and John Mooney. Carmody will represent the club's interests at the meeting of the Western Jockey club in Chicago next Monday, when dates for next season will be applied for. Thirty racing days during 1904 will be asked for. It is the opinion of a majority of the turf politicians that the request will not be granted. In such event there is but one outcome, and that is another turf war.

Will Decide Crescecus Case Today.

The board of appeals of the American Trotting association, which has been in session two days at the Auditorium, will conclude its work this morning. Additional evidence will be received today on the performance of Crescecus at Wichita, Kas., in October. It is generally thought the record will not be allowed to stand.

Denies McDonald's Application.

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The national board of review today denied the application for reinstatement of W. H. McDonald of East Aurora and the gelding Gray Gem, who were suspended at Lexington.

YOST VISITS NEW HAVEN.

MICHIGAN COACH CONFERS WITH YALE ATHLETIC LEADER.

Both Deny That Subject of a Yale-Michigan Game Was Definitely Discussed, but It Is Believed Such an Event Is Possible—Englewood High School Boys Show Indifferent Work in Practice—North Division Is Lively —Other Athletic News.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—That the University of Michigan has challenged Yale to a football game for next fall is reported here. Coach Yost arrived today and was closeted for two hours with Walter Camp, Yale's athletic adviser.

Yost denied stoutly after the conference that he was here to secure a game. He said: "I came east on some business affairs, and while I would like to see a Yale-Michigan game, the arrangement of the Michigan schedule is for other persons than myself.

He was asked about the report which has gained currency in the east that he will resign from Michigan and coach an eastern college eleven next season. He said: "I am getting to be a fixture at Michigan."

Mr. Yost spent the day largely with Dr. William H. Murphy, Yale's head baseball coach. They were respectively baseball and football coaches at Leland Stanford university four years ago. Mr. Camp would not admit that a specific Yale-Michigan game was discussed at the conference.

Yost left here late tonight. He said he was going to his old home in West Virginia.

Until Yale's captain is chosen for next year nothing definite about the schedule can be settled.

ENGLEWOOD'S PLAY SLUGGISH.

Practice of the South Side Team Far from Good—North Division Does Well.

Capt. Badenoch took his squad of Englewood high school football players to Marshall Field yesterday, and the afternoon's practice was held on the gridiron upon which the North Division-Englewood contest for championship high school honors will be played.

The work was open, but the players were given a good chance to become more familiar with the field. The work was anything but pleasing to Coach Lowenthal, fumbling being frequent. The players were given mittens for protection against the cold, but they could not hold the ball, and there seemed to be a lack of spirit. Several of the regulars were put on the side lines and substitutes sent in, but the shift did not help matters, and when the regular first team got back into the signal work the ragged work was as bad as ever.

At North Division the men were given their first scrimmage since the return from the east. It was a short scrimmage practice, but the signal work was hard and long. The plays went off smoothly, considering the cold, and Capt. Steffen was well satisfied. Several Northwestern players were out to coach as well as alumni of the school.

Englewood will continue practice on Marshall field this afternoon, while North Division will be given its last hard work at Lincoln park.

DYCHE IS ATHLETIC TREASURER

Financial Secretary of Northwestern University Assumes Other Duties —Football Report.

At a meeting of the Northwestern university athletic board of control last evening William A. Dyche, the new financial secretary of the university, was elected treasurer of the athletic association, to succeed Dr. Robert D. Sheppard. In order that this might be done an amendment to the constitution was passed, as the constitution provided that only a member of the board of control could hold this position.

Manager Butterworth's report of the receipts and disbursements of the football season showed that the association, while in good shape financially, did not come out as well as had been expected. The reasons for the shortage were the canceling of the Purdue game, and the street car strike, which affected the attendance at the last three games.

A. B. Fleager, a prominent alumnus, was authorized to arrange, in conjunction with Coach McCormack, the football schedule for next fall.

COLLEGE RULES WILL GOVERN.

A. A. U. Will Not Interfere with Conference Meet at the St. Louis Fair.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—W. H. Liginger, president of the A. A. U., has made an important ruling in connection with the Olympian games which are to be held at the world's fair in St. Louis next year. Although the A. A. U. will have charge of the big college meet, conference rules will govern the contest. This has been done because the rules of the two associations would conflict and some trouble might arise over the eligibility of some of the competitors. Several of the athletic directors of western universities have been under the impression that the rules of the A. A. U. would govern the Olympian games and they had decided not to enter any of their men in the contests.

Regarding the Academy Game.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Regarding conflicting charges concerning a football game between University High school and the Northwestern academy, we wish to make the following statement: A game for Dec. 5 was never definitely arranged. The University High school offered to play Northwestern any day between Nov. 14 and Nov. 29, but Northwestern decided but one date, Dec. 5. We could not play on that date, as it was asking too much of the players to remain in training till then, and we notified the Northwestern management to that effect on Nov. 18 and considered the matter closed. Any arrangements for a game on Dec. 5 were made without consulting the University High school. It has been stated that we withdrew in favor of Northwestern. There is positively no authority for such a statement. The Academic league will decide what shall be done with the game which was to be played over on account of the participation of an ineligible man on the part of Northwestern.

PORTER M. SMITH, Manager.

Approved by WILLIAM B. OWEN, Dean, University High school.

Award "M's" at Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Following the custom the athletic board of control today awarded the "M" to all the members of the football squad who have participated in two or more championship games. The men upon whom this honor was conferred were Rogers, Warren, Thorpe, Strathern, Webster, Schacht, Burdick, Davies, Currant, Irsfield, Harris, Kramer, O'Brien, Pattee, Smith, Boeckman, Marshall, and Gleason. Each man was also presented with a gold watch fob in the shape of a football. The election of captain will take place at the annual football banquet on Dec. 12. Jimmy Irsfield is the most likely candidate.

High School Meeting Today.

A meeting of the basketball and indoor baseball managers has been called for this afternoon. The chief object is to arrange a schedule of basketball games and decide whether there will be an indoor baseball league this winter.

Columbia Yacht Club Tickets.

Interest is being manifested in the annual election of the Columbia Yacht club, which will be held on Saturday at the clubhouse, the hours of voting being from 1 to 9 p. m. The regular ticket is headed by Fred Price and members' ticket by Oscar Daniels. As a rule, the annual elections are not lacking in excitement, but this year the contest is unusually keen and the partisans of both tickets are making a thorough canvass. The club ticket is as follows: Commodore, F. A. Price; vice commodore, C. E. Soule Jr.; rear commodore, Henry Davies; secretary, L. T. Braun; treasurer, M. H. Hickey; directors, C. J. Duggan and J. Adams. The members' ticket is: Commodore, Oscar Daniels; vice commodore, C. T. Bailey; rear commodore, C. Schick; secretary, L. Ibold; treasurer, S. Stewart; directors, W. H. Quinlan and U. G. Herrmann.

KENT WINS BILLIARD TOURNEY.

Defeats Brown in the Deciding Contest at Mussey's by a Score of 200 to 144.

George Kent last night won the deciding game in the amateur balk line billiard tournament for class B players, which has been in progress at Mussey's rooms for several weeks. His opponent was A. Brown, with whom he was tied. They were the two scratch players, each being handicapped at 200 points, and the game aroused much interest. Kent played one of the fastest games seen in the tournament and won by a score of 200 to 144.

The result gives Kent first prize, and places Brown in a tie with Walker and Huntley for second, third, and fourth prizes.

Cochrane [200] won the eighteenth game in the straight rail tournament at Foley's, his opponent being Jenkins [150], and the score being 200 to 122. Adair [200] and Deihks [150] play tonight.

Sells Two Good Ones.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—M. H. Reardon returned today from New York, where he negotiated the sale of his performers, Col. Wallace, 2:19½, and Alice Brooks, 2:11½. The price was $10,000. G. D. Sherman was the purchaser. He will race the two on the grand circuit.

BRILLIANTS WIN FROM STANDARDS

Average 939 in the Chicago League and Capture Two Games in Series.

BRILL DOES BEST WORK.

Armour Players Maintain Their Winning Streak in South Chicago Tourney.

In a consistently rolled series, with an average of 939, the Brilliants last night gave the Standards a setback in the Chicago league, taking two out of the three games. Klingenberg's men were unable to get going until the last game, when they came back with a contribution of 990. Brill was the only player on the two teams to notch a double century average, his fine closing effort of 248 giving him 201.

Poor work marked the Clubfellow-American series, the latter side losing two games. The Armours players continued their winning streak in the South Chicago league, averaging 956¾ and shutting out the Tossettis.

The Deering team set a new mark for high game in the International Harvester league with a

STOCKS GO STILL HIGHER.

TUESDAY'S ADVANCE CARRIED UP IN WALL STREET.

Many Traders Expected Reaction and Took Profits When Market Opened—Activity Transferred from Railroad List to Industrials, Led by Amalgamated Copper — Delay in Passage of Cuban Reciprocity Causes Manipulation.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Those who had looked today for a falling off from the relatively active pace which the stock market had shown on Tuesday were disappointed or unexpectedly gratified by the still further increase in transactions and the continued although irregular advance in prices.

So frequently of late has the market gone off sharply after a moderate advance that traders at the opening were inclined to take such profits as the advance showed them and to prepare for further short sales, but, despite this profit taking, the market either held its own or advanced in so many instances that the traders on the floor were inclined to change their view of the market.

The day's increase of over 80,000 shares on total transactions was supplied almost entirely by industrials and one or two traotions. The dealings in the railroad list were actually smaller than on Tuesday. The theory is advanced that the principal traders who for several days have been working for higher prices, had transferred their attention from the railroad stocks to industrials and tractions. This theory seemed to a considerable extent confirmed by the fact that these issues were leaders in the activity as well as in the strength.

Amalgamated Copper was the most active stock in the market, and also was entitled to some distinction by reason of the strength which it showed. On dealings of 79,720 shares the stock advanced practically 2 points and of this it kept 1¾ net. The fact that Amalgamated is advancing notwithstanding the recent decline in the price of copper was commented upon.

The delay in the passage of the Cuban reciprocity bill is said to have caused considerable short selling in sugar, which had advanced a number of points, supposedly on the advantages to accrue to the company from the passage of the bill. A rise in the stock from 121 to 123 was attributed to a successful drive against the short interest. The final price, the best of the day, showed a net gain of 3½ points.

Some commission houses which are committed to the bull side of the market express the opinion that soon after the first of January money will become so plentiful that call rates will fall to a low figure, but this view does not seem to be shared by the bankers, who naturally are inclined to take a more conservative view. As far as the present conditions are concerned, some bankers state that the present money market, despite the relatively high rates for call money, is easier than it was two or three months ago. In a sense it is possible now to secure money at ruling rates, while not so long ago it was extremely difficult to secure loans, though the borrower was willing to put up good collateral, at the rate then quoted.

Close: Prime mercantile paper, 6@6½; sterling exchange steady at decline, with actual business in bankers' bills at 483.25@483.30 for demand and at 478.75@478.80 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 480½@483 and 484½; commercial bills, 479¾@479¾; bar silver, 56⅞; Mexican dollars, 48¾. Money on call strong, 6@7½; closing bid 7¼, offered at 8. Time money firm; sixty days, 6 per cent; ninety days, 6; six months, 5½@6. The movement of bond prices continued irregular, realizing in speculative issues being in evidence in that market as well as in stocks. Total sales of bonds, par value, were $3,154,000. United States bonds were unchanged on the last call.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Dec. 2	Closing Dec. 1
Amn. Sugar	37,500	125	122	123	121½
Do pfd	400	121¾	121½	121½	121½
Amn. Locomotive	1,500	19½	15	15¾	15
Do pfd	900	70¾	69½	70¾	70¾
Amn. Cotton Oil	100	31	31	31	30½
Amn. Smelting	6,200	46	44¾	45¾	44½
Do pfd	2,000	88	87	88	88
Amn. Linseed	60	29¾	29	29	28½
Amn. Car Foundry	700	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do pfd	100	67	67	67	66
Amn. Ice	1,300	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Do pfd	100	27¾	27¾	27¾	27
Amn. S. Foun. pfd	22	30½	30½	30½	30½
Anaconda	500	70	68	70	68
Atchison	25,100	67¾	66¾	67	67
Do pfd	1,000	91¾	91¼	91¾	91¼
Atl. Coast	70,300	94¾	94¼	94¾	93
Balt. Rap. Tran.	24,700	49¼	46	41½	39¾
Balt. & Ohio	19,400	58¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Do pfd	200	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
C. & N. W	500	167	166½	166½	166½
Do pfd	100	209	209	209	209
Chi. & Alton	4,100	34¾	32¾	34½	33¾
Do pfd	300	71¾	71	71¾	70¾
C. M. & St. P	15,400	140½	138¾	140	140¾
Do pfd	50	171¾	171¾	171¾	172½
Chi. Terminal	700	9¼	9	9	8¾
Chic. & Ohio	1,500	31¾	31	31¼	31¼
Chic. R. I. & P.	100	156	156	156	157
Cent. Tob. pfd	300	102¾	102¾	102¾	
Chicago Pac	2,700	119½	118¾	118¾	118¾
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	700	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾
Colo. & Southern	600	53	52¾	53	53¾
Do 1st pfd	200	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Colo. Fuel & Iron	1,200	29	24¾	29	24¾
Chi. Gt. Western	3,300	15	14¾	15	14¾
Corn Products	200	18¾	18	18¾	18¾
Do pfd	1,400	68	67	68	66
C. St. P., M. & O.	100	123	123	123	121
Del. & Hudson	1,500	158	156¼	156¾	157
Del. & Rio Grande	1,300	21¾	21	21¾	
Do pfd	400	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾
Detroit Southern	500	8¾	8	8¾	8¾
Do pfd	400	16¾	16	16¾	
Detroit Un. Ry	100	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾
Dist. S. & A	100	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Dist. Sec. Corpn	100	21¾	21¾	21¾	22
Erie	8,100	27¾	27¼	27¾	27¼
Do 1st pfd	2,900	67¾	67	67¾	67
Do 2d pfd	3,200	49¼	48¾	48¾	49
Gen. Electric	500	158	157	158	156½
Hocking Valley	300	74¾	74¼	74¾	74¾
Illinois Central	2,100	129¾	129¾	129¾	130
Iowa Central	100	21	21	21	21
Do pfd	100	38	38	38	37
Int. Paper pfd	100	63	63	63	62
Kan & Mich	100	30	30	30	
Kan. City So. pfd	200	34¾	34¼	34¾	34¾
Lehigh & Nash	10,900	107¾	106¾	107¾	106¾
L. & N.	2,400	139	138	139	137
Mat. Securities	1,400	90¾	89¾	90¾	90¾
Manhattan	2,900	132¾	130¾	132¾	129½
M., K. & T.	700	17¾	17½	17¾	17¾
Do pfd	2,300	39	38¾	39	39
Met. St. Ry	2,800	119	117¾	117¾	117¾
Mex. Cent. (Ltd.)	1,500	10¾	10¼	10¾	10¾
Missouri Pacific	15,600	91¾	91¼	91¾	91¾
N. C. & St. L	200	107	107	107	106
National Biscuit	100	36¼	36¼	36¼	36
National Lead	300	15¾	15¾	15¾	14¾
Do pfd	300	89	89	89	
N. Y. Centrings	2,300	117¾	116¾	117¾	117¾
Norfolk & W	1,700	56¾	56	56¾	
North Amn. Co	100	17	17	17	16½
N. Y., Ont. & W	6,800	28¾	28¼	28¾	28¾
N. Y. Air Brake	1,100	129½	129	129¾	127¾
N. Y. C. & St. L	200	25¾	24¾	24¾	25¾
N. Y. Chicago	300	29	29	29	28½
People's Gas	3,700	96¾	94¾	95	94¾
Penn. R. R	50,100	115¾	114¾	115	115¾
Pacific Mail	200	44¾	44¼	44¾	44¾
Pressed Steel Car	200	24¾	24¾	24¾	24½
Do pfd	600	65¾	65	65¾	
Pitts. Marquette	200	30¾	30¾	30¾	
Reading	84,700	75¾	73¾	75¾	74¾
Do 1st pfd	200	76¼	75¾	76¼	75½
Rubber Goods	400	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Do pfd	800	70	70	70	69½
Ry. S. Sp. pfd	100	75	75	75	
Lehigh Iron & S	800	6¾	6	6¾	6
Rock Island	39,000	29¾	28¾	29¾	29¼
Do pfd	1,600	69¾	69¼	69¾	69¾
Southern Ry	31,100	29¾	29¼	29¾	29¾
Do pfd	1,800	79¾	78¾	79¾	79¾
St. L. & S. F.	200	9¾	9	9¾	8
Do 1st pfd	1,200	87	87	87	84
Do 2d pfd	200	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Southern Pacific	12,400	46¾	46¼	46¾	46¾
St. L. & W	700	14¾	13¾	14¾	14¾
Do pfd	100	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pf	400	45¾	45¼	45¾	45¾
Texas Ry. & L	100	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Texas Pacific	2,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Texas Land	100	25	25	25	25
Tenn. C. & Iron	1,900	73¾	72¾	73¾	73¾
Third Ave. R. R. pfd	200	120	120	120	120
Twin City	500	95¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
Union Pacific	28,200	76¾	75	76¾	75¾
Do pfd	100	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
U. S. Rub. & Fx	100	6	6	6	5¾
U. S. R. & C. pf	200	44¼	44¼	44¼	44¼
U. S. Realty	300	5	5	5	5¾
U. S. Steel	900	38¾	37¾	38¼	38
Do pfd	1,100	96	95	96	96
U. S. Leather	1,100	7¾	7¼	7¾	7¾
Do pfd	1,200	76	75¼	76	75¾
U. S. Steel	8,100	11¼	11	11¼	11¼
Do pfd	3,300	53¾	52¾	53¾	53¾
Va. Care. Chem	400	20¾	20¼	20¾	20
Wabash	900	17	16¾	17	16¾
Do pfd	2,100	29¾	29	29¾	29
Wheeling & L. E.	6,000	19¾	18	19¾	19¾
Do pfd	400	17	16¾	16¾	17
Wis. Central	700	23	22¾	23	23
Do pfd	700	38	37¾	37¾	37¾
Western Union	800	88	88	88	87¾
Westinghouse	800	142	140	140	140
Do 1st pfd	200	180	180	180	

*Ex dividend 1¾ per cent.

Total sales of stocks, 596,700 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	220	United States	100
American	184	Wells Fargo	103

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg	106¾	Do coup.	133¾
Do coup.	106¾	U. S. old 4s, reg	102
U. S. 3s, reg	107	Do coup.	110
Do coup.	107	U. S. 5s, reg	101¾
U. S. 4s, reg	132¾	Do coup.	101¾

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS —10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$1000 Atch gen 4s	100¾	$1000 Lac Gas 5s	104¼
3000 do adj	87¼	5000 MK-T 4s	96
31000 Atlantic Coast 4s	93	12000 do 2d	76½
8000 Ann Arbor 4s	91¼	12000 do ext 5s	104½
2000 AdamsEx 4s	102¾	11000 Mexican 4s	72½
1000 BRT 5s	100	31000 do 1st inc	15@16
5000 B-O 3½s	94½	2000 do tr 5s	105
15000 do 4s	100¾	35000 NP 3s	70
5000 do FLEX 4s	94¼	22000 do 3s	102¼
20000 do SW 3½s	89	4000 N-W con 4s	97
2000 BklynEl 4s	93	8000 do Foco 4s	88
8000 CanSo 1st	104¾	10000 NYC 1-S 3½s	85
1000 CentGa con 5s	103¾	5000 NatRRMex 4s	76
15000 do 1st inc	64¾	10000 NYC-StL 4s	116½
20000 do 2d inc	28	22000 OR-N 4s	97½@98
5000 do 3d inc	18	4000 OSL 4s	92¼
3000 CNJ gm 5s	129¾	57000 Pa conv	85¼@85
9000 C-A 5s	82	4000 Pac gen 4s	96¾
57000 do 4s	76¾	1000 RGW 4s	95½
1000 C-NW 5s	108¾	8000 StL-IM 5s	111@½
20000 do 3½s	99¼	5000 StL-SF 4s	85¾
28000 C-O 4½s	101	81000 StL-SF 4s	84½@85¼
5000 C-EI gen 5s	115¾	7000 StLSW 1st	102¾
5000 CI-L ref 6s	126¾	12000 do 2d	72½
1000 CM-SP SMinn 4s	112¾	25000 do con 4s	92½
25000 CB-Q joint	83¾	35000 do con	92¾
30000 do reg	83¼	3000 do 4½s	97¾
8000 do deb	105¾	7000 do 4½s	97¾
1000 do Ill 3½s	94½	39000 SSS-I 5s	109@110
10000 do Neb ex reg	106	20000 SoRy 5s	112¾
11000 CRI-P gen 4s	102¼@¾	1000 do StL div	95¾
434000 do new 4s	106¾	5000 Seaboard A-L 4s	66¼
27000 do coll 5s	75¾	4000 SA-AP 4s	76
2000 ColoSo 4s	84	30000 SPRR inc	1¾
11000 CCC-StL gm	95	1000 So Pac 1st 5s	108¾
2000 CFeSw 5½s	83½	4000 TexP 1st 5s	115¾
1000 do 4s	90¼	2000 TP-W 4s	92
95000 CFI conv	63@64	7000 TStL-W 4s	75¾
97000 ConTob 4s	53¼@¾	18000 UnRy San F 4s	75¾@76
5000 D-RG 4s	100	784000 USSteel 5s	98¾@99
12000 Dist Sec 5s	104¾@¾	1000 do reg	99
2000 Erie con 4s	98¾	11000 UP 4s	102¾@¾
11000 do gen lien	84¼@¾	158000 do conv	94¾@¾
4000 Erie 2d 4s	88¾	7000 UP 4s 1907	110¾
1000 Equit Gas Chi	102¾	8000 WVC-P 6s	111¾
13000 FW-DC 1st	103	2000 WU 4½s	101½@¾
3000 FW-RG 1st	79	324000 Wab deb B	59¼@60
13000 GR-WB	134	5000 WLE 4s	87¼
2000 KCFtS-M 6s	119	9000 WS gtd 4s	106¾@¾
9000 KCFtS-M 4s	78¾@¾		
9000 Man con 4s	102		
5000 LonI unf 4s	93¾		

Total sales of bonds $3,128,000.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—There was more activity and greater distribution of business in the stock market today. There were evidences of increasing public interest. The strength of Amalgamated, which gained 1¾, inspired buying of Copper Range. There was good buying of Telephone, which sold up nearly 2 per cent to 128. Traders sold a lot of sugar to New York on the rise to 125. Call loans, 5½@6 per cent; time loans, 6@6½ per cent; commercial loans, 6@6½ per cent; clearing house loans, 5 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	11,750	125¾	128	125¾	127¾
Amn. Tel	1,738	126¾	128	126¾	127¾
Atchison	700	67¾	67¾	67	67¼
Do pfd	20	91¾	91¾	91¼	91¾
Amn. Sugar	6,160	121¾	125	121¾	125
Do pfd	199	121½	121½	121½	121½
Amn. Steel pfd	340	14¾	15	14¾	15
Agri. Chem	250	11¼	11¾	11	11¾
Do pfd	487	67	69	67	68
Amn. Zinc	300	10	10¾	10	10
Binghamn	1,270	20	20¾	20	20¾
Copper Range	5,900	43	44	42¾	43½
Cons. Mercur	300	95	95	95	95
Centennial	495	14¾	15¼	14¾	15¼
Edison Electric	113	243	243	242	243
Gen. Electric	53	158	158	158	158
Georgia Electric	100	36	36	36	36
Isle Royale	140	6¼	6¾	6¼	6¾
Mohawk	300	86	87½	86	87½
Mass. Electric	175	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼
Do pfd	154	78	78	78	78
Mont. Coke	100	34	34	34	34
Mass. Gas	110	97	97	97	97
Osceola	220	17¾	18	17¾	18
Parrot	11	214	215	214	215
Pullman	5	175	175	175	175
Rx. Marquette pfd	15	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
Quincy	100	5	5	5	5
Shannon	410	8	8	7¾	7¾
Trinity	100	5	5	5	5
Tamarack	6	81	83	81	83
Un. Shoe Mchy	529	48	48	47	47
Do pfd	134	29¼	29¼	28¾	29¼
Utah	1,000	27	27¼	27	27¼
U. S. Mining	610	17¾	18	17¾	17¾
Un. Fruit	170	94	95	93	95
U. S. Coal & Oil	40	8½	9	8½	9
Un. Pac	440	75¾	75¾	75¼	75¾
Do pfd	50	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
Victoria	100	7	7	7	7
Winona	200	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Wolverine	30	67	67	67	67
Westinghouse	20	71	71	71	71

BONDS.

$ 1000 Atch 4s	99¾	$ 1000 C-N M 4s	104½
1000 Am Bell 4s	95½	5000 Mex C 1st inc	15¾
$8000 Am Tel 4s	94	2000 N P Tr 3s	102¾
2000 C B-Q ex 4s	99¾@¾	3000 Un Fruit 5s	102
		2000 West Tel 5s	99
8000 do joint	81¾		

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Delayed Trains Bring Bad Conditions, Cattle Ruling Weak and Hogs Opening Lower.

Delayed trains were responsible for an unsatisfactory general condition of the trade yesterday. As was anticipated, the receipts were large, the cattle estimate being 25,000, hogs 45,000, and sheep 25,000. Owing to this delay in trains it was nearing noon before the market got fairly started, and the bulk of the day's business had to be done after the hours at which most of the trade is completed when trains get in on time. The cattle market ruled slow and weak for all except a few of the right quality and weight. Hogs opened 5@10c lower than the strong close of Tuesday, but firmed up as the day advanced and closed strong. Sheep and lambs were slow and mostly 10c lower.

Following is a statement of the movement of live stock at the Chicago stockyards for the period indicated, with comparative figures:

Receipts.	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Wednesday, Nov. 25	20,287	1,020	27,461	21,653
Thursday, Nov. 26	Holiday.			
Friday, Nov. 27	11,725	787	26,390	15,552
Saturday, Nov. 28	1,211	163	9,858	1,672
Monday, Nov. 30	29,211	852	33,767	21,890
Tuesday, Dec. 1	31,140	845	27,576	20,149
Wednesday, Dec. 2	25,000	1,000	45,000	25,000
This week	58,537	2,502	106,348	77,040
Last week	83,182	3,805	119,038	83,429
Last year	64,146	2,601	124,091	106,495
Official last week	15,243	4,757	155,080	100,658
Official year ago	54,654	3,411	161,400	104,937
Shipments—				
Week ago	9,936	111	6,648	10,437
Tuesday	4,038	7	4,121	5,981
Yesterday	6,000	50	5,000	6,000
This week	15,852	172	14,890	18,364
Last week	22,030	354	17,738	22,750
Last year	12,140	1,527	15,852	17,581
Official last week	31,247	455	27,709	22,036
Official last year	15,796	673	14,586	24,788

Receipts at the Chicago stockyards for the year to date, with comparative figures:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep	Horses.	Cars.
1903	3,181,227	6,513,194	4,246,877	96,971	277,037
1902	2,685,162	7,089,429	4,106,154	97,006	251,776
Inc	496,065		140,723		25,291
Dec		576,319		35	

Cattle.

The cattle market showed activity in a demand for strictly prime medium weight steers, but for everything else in the beef cattle line the market was slow and late, with prices weak to lower. A clearance could not be made on account of the late arrival of trains. The market for butcher stock ruled slow, but without quotable change in values. In the stocker and feeder trade there were plenty of "prospectors," but not muchactual trading. Prices remained the sams as at the opening of the week. The closing days probably will see an active trade in the feeder line, as many of the men who have been visiting the show will buy cattle to take home. Quotations:

Good to prime steers	$5.20@5.85
Poor to medium	3.50@4.90
Stockers and feeders	1.75@4.00
Cows	1.50@4.25
Heifers	2.00@4.75
Canners	1.50@2.30
Bulls	1.75@4.25
Calves	2.00@6.75
Texas fed steers	$3.00@3.75
Western steers	3.00@4.00

Hogs.

On the announcement of 45,000 hogs for the day's trade, the market opened slow, with buyers bidding 5@10c under closing prices of Tuesday. The demand appeared to be good from all sources, and toward the middle of the forenoon buying became active and the market firmed up. At the close prices were as good as at the best time on Tuesday. Buyers stuck to the alleys until late hour and kept taking hogs as fast as they were unloaded. Quotations:

Mixed and butchers	$4.30@4.60
Good to choice heavy	4.25@4.45
Rough heavy	4.25@4.40
Light	4.25@4.55
Bulk of sales	4.40@4.55

Sheep.

The market for sheep ruled slow from start to finish and prices were 10c lower. The general quality of sheep was not attractive and receipts were too heavy to sustain a steady market. Quotations:

Good to choice wethers	$3.75@4.25
Fair to choice mixed	2.75@3.75
Native lambs	4.00@5.75
Western sheep	2.10@4.25
Western lambs	4.10@5.00

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,855; steers closed 10c lower on common and medium grades; bulls steady; medium cows 10c lower; all grades weak; steers, $4.00@5.90; cables quoted live stock firm at 10¼@11¼c per lb, dressed weight; sheep slow at 11@12c; lambs, 13c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8½@9¾c per lb; exports, 78 cattle, 210 sheep, and 1,200 quarters of beef. Calves —Receipts, 5,074; veals, 25c lower; grassers slow; no demand for westerns; veals, $4.50@8.75; tops, $3.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,694; sheep firm to 10c higher; lambs uneven; some sales 10@ 15c higher; others 10@15c lower; sheep, $2.25@ 3.90; lambs, $5.00@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,420; firmer; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $5.00@5.20.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500, including 2,000 Texans; steady, without material change; native shipping and export steers, $4.20@ 5.35; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.00@5.00; calves, $3.50@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 7,500; 5@10c lower; butchers and best heavy, $4.30@4.57½. Sheep—Receipts, 2,500; steady; native muttons, $3.50@4.10; lambs, $4.50@5.65.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000, including 800 Texans; dull; export and dressed beef steers 5c lower, $4.40@5.05; calves steady, $2.50@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 5@10c lower; top, $4.60; bulk of sales, $4.45@4.50. Sheep —Receipts, 2,500; steady to strong; native lambs, $4.25@5.00; top ewes, $3.90@4.25.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,800; steady; native steers, $3.70@5.15; calves, $3.00@ 5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 8,500; 5c lower; bulk of sales, $4.25@4.35. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; slow to 5@15c lower; fed muttons, $3.60@4.00; lambs, $3.75@5.00.

CHICAGO LEVEE CATTLE MARKET.

Trade Slow and Weak, with Prices Lower Than Tuesday.

Cattle were in liberal supply at the Chicago Levee yesterday, and the market was slow and weak, with prices lower than Tuesday. Quotations:

Choice to extra steers	$5.25@5.50
Good to choice steers	4.75@5.25
Fair to good steers	4.00@4.75
Common to fair steers	3.00@4.00
Choice to extra heifers	4.00@4.50
Good to choice heifers	3.50@4.00
Fair to good heifers	3.00@3.50
Common to fair heifers	2.50@3.00
Choice to extra cows	3.50@4.00
Good to choice cows	3.00@3.50
Fair to good cows	2.50@3.00
Common to fair cows	2.00@2.50
Choice to extra bulls	3.50@4.00
Good to choice bulls	3.00@3.50
Fair to good bulls	2.50@3.00
Common to fair bulls	2.00@2.50
Choice to extra calves	5.00@5.50
Good to choice calves	4.50@5.00
Fair to good calves	4.00@4.50
Common to fair calves	3.00@4.00
Choice to extra stockers	3.50@4.00
Good to choice stockers	3.00@3.50
Fair to good stockers	2.50@3.00
Common to fair stockers	2.00@2.50
Choice to extra feeders	3.50@4.00
Good to choice feeders	3.00@3.50
Fair to good feeders	2.50@3.00
Common to fair feeders	2.00@2.50

NEWS OF THE INSURANCE WORLD.

PLAN TO AID UNDERWRITERS.

Glens Falls Manager Would Have the Committee Report Submitted Last April Adopted.

J. L. Whitlock, western manager of the Glens Falls, has sent to President Teall of the Chicago Underwriters' association a letter in which he suggests as a solution of the trouble which threatens the life of the organization the adoption of the report submitted to the executive committee last April and which was shelved at that time. He says that unless 95 per cent of the companies transacting business in Chicago promptly sign the pledge and agreement embodied in that report the Glens Falls will withdraw from the association.

The report in question requires a pledge from each company that it will conduct its business in Chicago in accordance with the rules of the Chicago Underwriters' association. Commissions, which, under the present plan, are unlimited to members of class one, are restricted to 20 per cent. The commission to brokers, resident and foreign, and on reinsurance is limited to 10 per cent. No commissions are to be paid to any one not a member, licensed broker, or solicitor of the association, and no commission is to be paid to real estate firms which maintain offices inside the old city limits. No member can have more than three salaried solicitors, and solicitors paid by commission are not to receive more than 10 per cent. No commissions are to be allowed to clerks. Fines for unintentional violations are to be $25, with $100 for the first conviction of willful violation, the penalty for a second conviction being the immediate expulsion of the offending member. This is to be backed up by the written pledge of the company that it will take such action upon a second conviction.

This report was prepared by a committee, of which R. M. Bissell, who since has become vice president of the Hartford Fire, was chairman, after more than fifty sessions, consuming nearly six months. It was presented to the executive committee, but as only eight of the ten members present voted for it, five being the authors of the report, it promptly was tabled on motion of the latter for lack of unanimous support. In consequence, the report never reached the members of the association, but Mr. Whitlock's ultimatum probably will require its submission.

The executive committee of the Chicago Underwriters' association declines to give out the list of twenty-one members invited to consult with it this afternoon regarding the violations of the commission rules. The reason given is that those not invited may feel slighted, but the contrary probably will be the case, as it is known that some of the worst offenders have been invited. The managerial contingent will be strongly represented.

The Norwayss case, which was carried up to the Appellate court from Chicago, which held that the landlord was liable for the action of his tenant in violation of his policy contract, although he might be ignorant of the violation, may be reheard. A petition to that effect has been filed by Norwayss's attorneys with the Appellate court.

The Texas insurance commissioner has served notice upon the owners of the Paris Oil and Cotton company, burned several weeks ago, with $82,250 of the $117,750 insurance in companies not licensed to do business in Texas, that if any adjuster representing these companies acts in the state he will be liable to arrest. Unless these companies accept the settlement made by the admitted companies the insured will be compelled to sue in their home states. The commissioner admits that his purpose is to have premiums paid to admitted companies, so that the state will get the taxes and Texas agents will get the commissions.

Rates at Portsmouth, O., have been increased from 8 to 15 per cent because of deficient fire pressure.

A tabulation of the known causes of the 3,261 fires reported by the Chicago fire insurance patrol from Jan. 1 to Nov. 15 shows that the careless use of matches leads, with 377 fires, gasoline standing next with 233. Sparks from chimneys caused 199 fires, spontaneous combustion 156, defective flues 153, and overheated stoves and furnaces 206. The causes of 35 per cent of the fires are reported as unknown.

William Trembor, secretary of the German Fire of Freeport, has been appointed a trustee of the Western hospital for the insane at Watertown.

NEWS NOTES FROM NEW YORK.

Underwriters Discuss Adoption of Rules Covering the Wiring and Fitting of Electric Street Cars.

New York, Dec. 2.—[Special.]—The opening session of the annual convention of the Underwriters' National Electric association was held today at the rooms of the New York board of fire underwriters. There was a full attendance. Several important subjects were introduced in discussion, notably a proposition for the adoption of rules covering the wiring and fitting of electric street cars.

The committee appointed to nominate the officers of the Cincinnati local board for the coming year will recommend the following: For president, E. C. Gibbs; vice president, Adam Gray; treasurer, K. F. Bendorf; governing committee, J. W. Montgomery, William Siredelman, B. T. Clemons, J. Camp Wright.

The Scranton Underwriters' association has agreed to a proposition for a middle department to participate in defraying the cost of installing the card system of ratings. The publication of a new tariff for that city, the surveys for which are now well advanced, will doubtless be on the cards. Many other changes will be made in the conduct of the stamping office to overcome the friction between the agencies and the tariff office.

Daniel Myers of Cleveland, O., president of the Manhattan Fire Insurance company, who is charged with misappropriating $39,500 of the company's funds, was placed on trial before Recorder Goff this afternoon. William M. Hahn of Mansfield, O., vice president of the company, also was indicted, but the Ohio authorities refused to give him up.

Some of the brokers interested in handling policies of high grade foreign and American surplus line institutions are requesting permission to appear before the United States senate committee on postoffice and post roads, in session Dec. 10, to protest against the bill to amend the postal law so as to make it apply to insurance.

Costly Fire in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 2.—[Special.]—Fire last evening at 419-421 North Fourth street, owned by Benjamin O'Fallon and occupied by the Shallcross Printing and Stationery company, did considerable damage on the third floor. The following is the list of companies and the amounts carried on the building:

Hanover	$5,000	Providence, Wash.	$5,000
Ins. Co. of N. A.	1,500		
Phoenix, Hartford	7

WHEAT PRICE EASES OFF.

LEADERS PICK UP CONSIDERABLE AT THE DECLINE.

Slight Reaction Generally Looked On as Natural After Recent Strength and Advance—Growing Grain in the Winter Wheat Section Said to Be Suffering from Lack of Moisture—Shorts in Corn Do Some Active Covering—Other Grain Firm.

Wheat showed a number of erratic features yesterday, and, although closing prices were ½c off on the December, and practically as much on the May, the conditions at no time were quotably weak. The July lost only about ¼c. All through the session there was more or less of a marked disposition on the part of the leading interests in the market to accumulate low priced wheat. Around the opening the May sold as high as 81¼c, which quotation was top for the day, and around this figure it was freely bought by Armour brokers. But large quantities came out from various sources and before the expiration of the first hour the price was off 80¾c, the La Salle street interest supporting the market all the way down, and also buying on the subsequent recovery to practically 81c.

The government bulletin for December was something of a factor, this document claiming conditions were unsatisfactory over a large part of the winter wheat belt, owing to a general lack of moisture. It also referred to the Hessian fly in portions of Kansas, Missouri, and Indiana. The outlook was said to be better in Oklahoma, Nebraska, and northern sections of Missouri than in the more easterly portion of the belt. There was an apparently bearish showing in the matter of primary receipts, which was hardly justified by the actual conditions. The figures of the day showed a movement of 1,291,900 bu, as against only 813,100 bu a year ago, but last year neither the receipts at Minneapolis nor Duluth were included in the posted figures. These, it is believed, would have practically made up the deficit around 1,000,000 bu.

Big Receipts Southwest.

The receipts in the southwest were over twice as large as last year, Kansas City and St. Louis reporting 670,000 bu, as against 114,000 bu last year. In the northwest the principal increase was at this point and Minneapolis; Duluth showed a slight falling off. The local inspection was 127 cars, of which 1 was contract. Estimated for today, 180 cars. Bradstreet's figures on world's stock showed an increase of 1,634,000 bu, which compared with an increase the previous week of 5,631,000 bu and an increase last year of 1,120,000 bu. There was a moderate export business, New York reporting 18 loads, and clearing 265,800 bu. There were 300,000 bu of Kansas hard wheat worked here for shipment, mostly to Buffalo and largely by the Armour house. Advices varied as to wheat offerings from first hands. Some of the northwestern elevator people reported them fairly free, while others claimed the movement was light. The pit trade as a whole paid close attention to Armour operations and followed the lead set by this factor. At one time there were heavy selling reported in Milwaukee, which worked a few fractions off the local price.

Shorts Cover Corn.

Corn was relatively a stronger market than wheat, all deliveries making a net advance, the December ½c to ¼c, the May ¼c to ⅝c, and the July practically ⅝c. A large percentage of the strength in this market came from shorts, which element covered freely. This was induced by the light movement, local inspection being but 130 cars. Estimate for today, 145 cars. All primary points reported receipts of only 367,100 bu, as against 509,000 bu a year ago. A good many reports from interior shipping points indicating a disposition on the part of the farmers to hold corn at higher prices was responsible for some of the strength. The December crop bulletin reported weather conditions favorable for husking operations, although admitting the quality of the crop was irregular. Cables on corn were dull. Liverpool being fractionally lower. The seaboard cleared 84,600 bu, while New York reported 10 loads for export. In the aggregate the heavy buying of about all the deliveries was done by Wagner, Logan-Bryan, and Pringle-Browning.

Not Much Life in Oats.

To more than an ordinary degree, oats followed the movement, of corn, and was especially strong in the nearby deliveries. The December closed ⅝c higher, with the May ¼c to ⅜c up. The July advanced only ⅛c. The demand came largely from scalpers and specialists, commission houses doing only a small percentage of the day's business. There was enough covering in December to make that delivery the strongest of the three. Local inspection was 113 cars, of which 2 were contract. There were 4 cars and 37,700 bu withdrawn. Estimated today, 100 cars. Bradstreet's figures made world's stocks 379,000 bu larger than last week, the decrease last year being 462,000 bu. The seaboard cleared 5,100 bu. In the cash market, 9,000 bu were sold for shipment. Cash prices were irregular and covered a wide range according to quality. The demand is almost entirely for the better grades.

Heavy Hog Receipts West.

In provisions the market was fairly active and the tone considerably better than the day before. Pork made an advance of 10c to 15c, lard closing 2½c higher, while ribs sold up 2½c to 7½c. The lowest prices of the session were current early, the opening market being affected by free receipts of hogs and also the fact that provision stocks were generally larger than expected. World's lard stocks decreased 34,000 tcs for the month. Local hog receipts were 45,000, the eight western packing points reporting a total of 102,600, as against 73,500 the previous week and 80,200 a year ago. Shipments of pure grease were 2,209,200 lbs, as against 2,361,700 lbs a year ago. Lard shipments were 1,904,500 lbs, as compared with 1,933,000 lbs a year ago.

Only 2 cars of rye were inspected yesterday, which made car lot offerings small. Demand, however, was also light. Futures were steady, December at 51c and May at 55c.

Rye Market Rules Quiet.

The rye market ruled quiet and steady, with light trade in both cash and futures. Prices were about the same as Tuesday's closing. No. 2 in store sold 51c; fresh arrivals, free on board, 53c; No. 3, local, 50c, at the river 49c; No. 4, 48c. Receipts, 2 cars; 20 cars withdrawn from private warehouses; no export clearances from New York.

The barley market was dull for malting, unless especially attractive. Feed and mixing about steady, with little demand for screenings. In the sales screenings covered a range of 27@37c for poor to choice; feed, local, sold 34@35c, a few cars at river 33½@34c. Choice to fancy sold 54@60@61c.

Timothy indicated an advance of 1@7½c in bids for futures, with little doing; asking figures being above bids; cash offerings small. High grade was quotably steady and firm. For December $3.00 was bid. January was $3.05 bid, $3.10 sellers, with a final sale $3.07½. March nominally $3.15.

Clover seed offered in small lots only. Contract grade, spot or December, $11.00, country lots. Common to choice, $8.00@10.75. Fair to good quality about $8.25@9.75.

Range of Active Futures.

	WHEAT.					
	Closed yester-	Range—			Closed yester-	Closed Dec. 3,
	day.	High.	Low.		day.	1902.
Dec ...	81¼	81¼	81		81	73
May ...	80⅝	81¼	80¼		80¾	75¼
July ...	78⅝	79	78¼		78⅝	75¼
	CORN.					
Dec ...	42¾	42¾	42		42¼	54⅛
May ...	43¾	43⅝	43-42¾		43⅜	48
July ...	43	43⅛	43¼		43¼	48⅛
	OATS.					
Dec ...	34⅛	35⅜	34⅜		35	31
May ...	34⅝	35⅝	34¾		35⅜-36	33
July ...	33¼	33¾	33¼		33⅝	...
	MESS PORK.					
Jan ...	10.87½	11.00	10.80		10.97½	16.00
May ...	11.15	11.50	11.05		11.37½	15.12½
	LARD.					
Dec ...	6.45	6.45	6.45		6.45	10.22½
Jan ...	6.42	6.45	6.40		6.42½	9.82½
May ...	6.45	6.50	6.40		6.47½	8.90
	SHORT RIBS.					
Jan ...	5.80	5.87½	5.77½		5.87½	8.29
May ...	6.00	6.05	5.95		6.05	8.05

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better.	Stand-ard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat.	2	..	23	..	25
Colo. wheat.	1	..	..	..	1
Spring wheat.	2	..	9	23	34
Mixed wheat.	..	..	2	..	2
Corn	..	..	42	83	125
Oats	1	3	53	57	113
Rye	..	..	..	..	..
Barley	..	..	..	115	117
Totals.	16	2	156	815	489

Inspected out: Wheat—New No. 2 red, 1,300 bu. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 8,400 bu; No. 3 yellow, 22,900 bu; No. 2 white, 27,900 bu; No. 3 white, 30,500 bu; No. 2, 35,900 bu. Oats—Standard, 37,700 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 4 cars; No. 2 red, 17 cars; No. 3, 27,400 bu; No. 1 western spring, 8 cars and 108,500 bu. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 5 cars; No. 3 yellow, 5 cars and 25,000 bu; No. 2, 55 cars and 32,300 bu; No. 3, 2 cars and 193,900 bu. Oats—Standard, 4 cars; No. 3 white, 5 cars. Rye—No. 2, 16 cars; No. 4, 4 cars.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Firm; hard spring patents [favorite brands], $4.90; hard patent [in wood], $4.10@4.30; straight [export brands], $3.70@3.80; clear [export bags], $3.20@3.30; winter patent [in wood], $4.10@4.20; straight, $3.80@3.90; clear, $3.30@3.50; hard winter, $3.65@3.80; clear, $3.00@3.50; white rye, brls, $2.80@3.80; sacks, $2.65@2.75; dark, 10c discount. Sales, 2,000 sacks for export on p. t.

BRAN—Demand good; supply light; no sales reported.

WHEAT—WINTER WHEAT—Market a shade lower, but choice relatively steady. Sales in store and to go: Hard winter, 300,000 bu on p. t. Free on board: No. 3 red, 84@85c; No. 4 hard, 67@70½c; No. 3 hard, 78¼c; No. 2 hard, 81¼c; No. 2 white, 80c. Billed through: No. 4 hard, at river, 65@68½c; No. 3 hard, at river, 69@78c; No. 2 hard, at river, 80c.

SPRING WHEAT—Ruled easier, with a light trade. Sales in store and to go: No. 1 northern, 25,000 bu ½c over December. Free on board: No. 4, 77@80c; No. 3 hard, 80c. Billed through: No. 3 [smutty], at river, 74c; No. 3, 76½c.

CORN—Moderate interest, fluctuations confined to ¼@⅝c limits. Sales in store and to go: No. 3, new, 40¾@41c; old, 42¾c; no grade, new, 36¾c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 35½@38c; No. 4, 39@41½c; No. 3, 41@42¾c; No. 3 yellow, 45½@46c; No. 2 yellow, 44¾@45c; No. 3 white, 40¾@44c; ears, 40c. Billed through: No grade, 34¾@37c; No. 4, 37@41¼c; No. 3, 39¼@41¼c; No. 3 yellow, 45@45¼c; No. 3 white, 40@42½c.

OATS—Stronger; advanced ¼@¾c. Sales in store and to go: Standard, 4,000 bu, 35½c; 5,000 bu, ¼@1c over December. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4, 33c; No. 4 white, 29@29¼c; No. 3, 34½@35c; No. 3 white, 35@35c; standard, 37¼c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 34½@35c; No. 3 white, 36¼@36½c; standard, 37½c; No. 2, 34c. At the river: No. 4 white, 27@33½c; No. 3 white, 34@34½c.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $18.00@18.50; extra mess beef, $7.20@7.50; plate beef, $7.75@8.00; extra plate beef, $8.50@8.75. Tallow—Steady at 5¼@5½c for city, 4¾@4¾c for prime packers, 4¾@4¾c for No. 1 do, and 4@4¼c for No. 2 do, 4¾@4½c for city renderers, 4½@4¾c for prime country, and 3¾@3½c for No. 2 do. Oleostearine—In fair supply and quotably steady at 6¼@6½c.

GREASES—Quiet and steady at 3¾@3¾c for brown, 3¾@3¾c for yellow, 4¼@4½c for B white, and 4¾@4¾c for A white.

RYE—Market quiet and steady. Sales in store and to go: No. 2, 5,000 bu in store, 51c. Free on board: No. 2, 55c; No. 3, 50c; No. 4, 48c.

PROVISIONS—Moderately active market; cash lots mess pork, $11.12½@11.25; lard, $6.50@6.52½; ribs, $6.25@6.62½, according to weight.

COOPERAGE—Fair demand; firm. Ash pork brls, $1.23½@1.25; oak, $1.32½@1.35; lard tcs, $1.55@1.60.

WHISKY—Steady. Basis finished goods, $1.27.

HAY—Firm. Receipts, 917 tons; shipments, 21 tons. Sales on track: Not graded timothy, $9.00@13.00; not graded prairie, Iowa, $9.00@10.50; Nebraska, $9.50; Kansas, $10.50.

STRAW—Rye straw, $8.50@9.50; wheat straw, $6.00@6.50; oat straw, $5.00@5.75. Sales on track: Tangled rye, $9.50.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Receipts, 94,575 bu; sales, 1,800,000 bu futures; 120,000 bu spot. Spot dull. No. 2 red, 85¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 89¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 91½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f. o. b. afloat. Options were irregular. May, 84¼@84⅝c, closed 84¼c; July, 80⅝@80¾c, closed 80⅝c; December, 88¼@88¾c, closed 88¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 17,850 bu; sales, 160,000 bu futures. Spot firm; No. 2, 49¼c elevator and 51c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52½c; No. 2 white, 50¾c. Options closed ⅝@¾c net higher; May, 48¼@48½c, closed 48¾c; December, 48¼@49¼c, closed 49¾c.

Oats—Receipts, 126,000 bu; spot easy; No. 2, 40¼c; standard white, 42c; No. 3, 40c; No. 2 white, 42¾c; No. 3 white, 40¼c; track white, 41@45c.

Cotton seed oil—Quiet.

Petroleum—Firm.

Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3 2-16@3½c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 2 15-16@3c; refined, quiet.

Cotton—Spot closed steady. Middling uplands, 11.90c; middling gulf, 12.20. Sales, 3,562 bales. Futures closed steady: December, 11.00c; January, 11.70c; February, 11.75c; March, 11.81c; April, 11.81c; May, 11.81c; June, 11.81c; July, 11.80c; August, 11.46c.

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 2.—Wheat fell back under 81c soon after trading started. Around 80¾@80⅝c considerable support was seen and the decline was checked. The market rallied a trifle near the end. December closed 79@79½c, May 80¾c, and July at 80¾c. Cash market: No. 1 scarce to arrive, 81¼@82c; some to arrive going as low as 81c. Flax—Cash, to arrive, and December, 94½c; May, 97½c. Bran—In bulk, $13.00.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 2.—Corn—Higher; No. 3, 43½c; No. 4, 41½c; new No. 4, 38c. Whisky—On the basis of $1.27 for finished goods.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 2.—Close: Wheat—Weak; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, nominal; track, 81c; December, 80½c; May, 82@83½c; No. 2 hard, 78¼@79½c. Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash, 40¼c; December, 40¾c; May, 40¼@40½c; track, 41½c. Oats—Higher; No. 2 cash, 36½c; track, 37½c; December, 37c; May, 37¼c; No. 2 white, 39½c. Lead—Firmer, $4.02½. Spelter—Dull, $4.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 2.—Close: Wheat—December, 69¾@69¾c; May, 69¼c; cash, No. 2 hard, 72@73c; No. 3, 67@70c; No. 4, 61@67c; rejected, 60@62½c; No. 2 red, 81½@84c; No. 3, 78@81c. Corn—December, 37½@37¾c; May, 36¾@36½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 39@39½c; No. 2 white, 39½c; No. 3, 39c. Oats—No. 2 white, 36@38c; No. 2 mixed, 34@35c.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 2.—Close: Wheat—To arrive, No. 1 hard, 81¼c; No. 1 northern, 80¾c; No. 2 northern, 77½c; on track, No. 1 northern, 80¼c; No. 2 northern, 78½c; No. 3 spring, 75¼c; December, 78½c; May, 80½c. Receipts, 218,554 bu; shipments, 294,754 bu.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 1.—Clover seed—Closed: Cash and December, $6.70; January, $6.75; February, $6.80; March, $6.85; prime alsike, $6.50; prime timothy, $1.85.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 2.—Wheat—Firm; No. 1 northern, 86@86c; No. 2 northern, 81½@82½c; May, 80½c bid. Corn—May, 42¾c.

Foreign Produce Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2d; futures steady; December, 6s 4½d; March, 6s 4¼d; May, 6s 3¼d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 4s 1d; futures quiet; January, 3s 11¼d; March, 3s 10¼d. Cotton—Spot in limited demand; prices steady. American middling, 6.40d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 5,900 American. Receipts, 21,400 bales, all American. Futures opened easy and closed quiet.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—As far as buying is concerned the dry goods market has not been appreciably affected by the record prices secured on cotton. Buyers are still inclined to await developments and there is a feeling that the abnormal level of the raw cotton market must give way to pressure of curtailment which will have its natural effect upon piece goods prices. This, however, manufacturers and sellers continue to combat with a constant tendency toward higher limits.

Coffee—Futures: There was heavy realising by small longs, but these offerings were promptly absorbed and prices generally showed a strong upward tendency. The demand was swollen toward the close by active covering by houses with European connections and in the last hour trading was more active than for years past. Not only was the market more active than any of recent times, but the prices on some options sold about the 7c mark for the first time in about two years. The market closed firm net 15@25 points higher, with sales of 37,750 bags, including December, 5.85@6.15c; January, 6.10@6.25c; February, 6.30@6.35c; March, 6.30@6.55c; April, 6.45c; May, 6.55@6.75c; July, 6.70@6.90c; August, 6.75@6.95c; September, 6.85@7.05c; October, 6.90@7.10c; and November, 7.00@7.15c. Spot, Rio No. 7, invoice, 6½c; Cordova, 7¼@12¼c.

Metals—London tin market, spot, £119; futures, £120 2s 6d. In New York, $25.80@26.00. Copper in London, £55 for spot, futures £54 12s 6d. Lead, £11 8s 9d in London; here $4.25. Spelter in London £20 10s; locally $5.25. Iron, 48s 6d Glasgow and 41s 7½d in Middlesboro; locally, No. 1 foundry, northern, $15.00@16.00; No. 2 foundry northern, $14.00@15.00; No. 1 foundry northern and No. 1 foundry southern, soft, $13.50@14.00.

Butter—Receipts, 4,822 pkgs; firm; extra creamery, 26c; creamery, common to choice, 16@24½c; state dairy, 15@21c.

Poultry—Alive steady. Chickens, 10½c; fowls, 11¼c; turkeys, 12c. Dressed weak. Western chickens, 13@13½c; fowls, 13c; turkeys, 15@17c.

IN THE FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The rates for money were easy in the market today and the supply was more abundant. This was believed to be owing to the Bank of England having repaid a considerable portion of the loan obtained some time ago in order to make the 4 per cent discount rate effective, but heavy repayments to the bank will be necessary in the next few days, while the Transvaal loan instalment must be met Dec. 8. Discounts were weak.

The tone on the stock exchange was firm and there was fair investment buying. Consols hardened, contingental buying and bear closing lifting up the market generally. Home rails were rather better. Americans opened firm owing to bear covering. They were inactive, however, the public not operating. Grand Trunk was unsettled and prices relapsed sharply. Japanese securities had a better tone owing to bear covering. South Americans were favored, especially Argentines. Kaffirs hardened.

Closing stocks:

Cons. for money	89 1-16	N. Y. Central	122
Do for acct.	89 5-16	Nor. & Western	58¼
Anaconda	3½	Do pfd.	89
Atchison	90¾	Ont. & Western	21¾
Do pfd.	94½	Pennsylvania	59⅝
Balto. & Ohio	80⅞	Rand Mines	10¼
Can. Pacific	153	Reading	39⅝
Ches. & Ohio	32⅜	Do 1st pfd.	80
Chi. Gt. West	16¼	Do 2d pfd.	30
C., Mil. & St. P.	136	Southern Railway	21¾
De Beers	20⅝	Do pfd.	61½
Den. & Rio. G.	22	Southern Pacific	48⅜
Do pfd.	74¼	Union Pacific	78¾
Erie	28½	Do pfd.	89
Do 1st pfd.	55¾	U. S. Steel	11⅜
Do 2d pfd.	51	Do pfd.	54⅝
Illinois Central	134½	Wabash	21
Louis. & Nash.	111⅞	Do pfd.	37½
Mex. Cent.	19⅝		

Bar silver firm, 58 7-16d per oz. Money, 2@3½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 4 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 3 15-16@4 per cent.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Prices on the bourse today were firm on the announcement that a basis for a Russo-Japanese agreement had been arrived at. Later trading was perfectly calm.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Prices on the bourse today were firm throughout. Trading was quiet toward the close.

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

Beginning this afternoon, in the president's room, a special committee of the directors will hear complaints regarding the inspection department. Dissatisfaction over the grading of grain by Mr. Bidwill's men is not more pronounced at this time than it always is, and the inspection department is not particularly disturbed as to the outcome. Both Bidwill and the supervising inspector admit the impossibility of pleasing everybody on 'change in the matter of inspections, but claim that it would be a difficult matter to improve on their way of doing business. In the case of the receiver who may be given a low grade there is always dissatisfaction, and there may have been instances where the seller suffered through an inspection which was too rigid. But the entire trade is willing to admit that the Chicago market has been built largely because of this rigid inspection, and are generally satisfied with prevailing methods. It is probable that a respectable percentage of the members of the board would like to take the inspection department out of the hands of the state authorities, but under existing laws this cannot be done. The next best thing, many of the members claim, would be the application of civil service rules to the department. This latter is strongly favored by President Chandler.

Another estimate of the flaxseed crop has been made public—that of the Orange Judd Farmer—26,639,000 bu, as compared with their estimate of 29,251,000 bu in 1902. It will be remembered that the government estimate, made about three weeks ago, was 27,300,000 bu, compared with 29,285,000 bu last year. It is a significant fact that there is a difference of only about 650,000 bu in the two estimates of this year's crop and that the estimates of last year's crop were practically agreed. In the northwest the general opinion this year favors a crop of about 25,000,000 bu, which is probably not far out of the way. The cake market abroad and here is decidedly quiet and is the occasion of no little anxiety on the part of crushers. Unless some considerable improvement in demand sets in with the first of the year cake prices may go off surprisingly, as the supply is piling up in mills that are poorly equipped to store it, and it will be a necessity to make shipments at some price soon.

Figures on wheat receipts at the four principal spring wheat markets—Minneapolis, Duluth, Milwaukee, and Chicago—continue to show a big falling off for the crop year since Aug. 1, as compared with last year's figures. Only one point, Milwaukee, reports larger receipts of the present crop than a year ago. At all other points the falling off is decided, the total at the four markets of this crop being 78,889,768 bu, as against a movement for the same time last year of nearly 96,000,000 bu. Practically the same conditions prevail at the winter wheat points—Toledo, St. Louis, Detroit, and Kansas City, where the movement of July 1 this year to date has been 118,600,000 bu, as against a movement for the same time last year of 150,300,000 bu.

The noteworthy feature in connection with the Bradstreet report of world's wheat stocks, showing an increase of 1,644,000 bu for the week, made up of an increase of 744,000 bu east of the Rockies and an increase of 900,000 bu in Europe and afloat, was the fact that last year at this time there was an increase east of the Rockies of 4,300,000 bu. The increase this week, in Europe and afloat, 900,000 bu, compares with a decrease last year of 3,200,000 bu.

The directors of the New Orleans board of trade have unanimously approved the proposition previously accepted by the directors of the Maritime exchange to consolidate the latter with the New Orleans board of trade. This will settle the controversy regarding the dual inspection of grain at that point. The duplication which has been going on for several years has been more or less confusing to the trade, and the new arrangement will be correspondingly satisfactory.

The government December crop bulletin says: "Over a large part of the winter wheat area the stands of winter wheat are not satisfactory, owing to general lack of moisture, and the Hessian fly has caused injury in portions of Kansas, Missouri, and Indiana. In Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, and northern Missouri winter wheat is in better condition for the winter than more easterly portions of the belt. Weather favorable for corn husking."

"Foreign markets," says W. H. Bartlett, "seem to be entirely independent of us for the time being. Weather conditions continue favorable for the movement of grain throughout the west. There is some slight increase in the movement of new corn east of the Mississippi; no movement yet west of the river. The interior demand for corn and oats shows some improvement."

The demand for high grade wheat in the northwestern cash markets is illustrated by the fact that all deliveries on December contracts at Minneapolis yesterday, a matter of 780,000 bu, went to milling interests.

The City elevator, under the proprietorship of Bryant & Co. (inc.) as lessee, has been made regular for the storage of grain and flax until July 1.

The Russian central statistical bureau estimates the winter wheat yield in seventy-two governments as 199,000,000 bu, compared with 220,000,000 bu last year. On Sept. 8 the same bureau estimated the wheat yield of these seventy-two governments as 180,000,000 bu. The winter rye crop is estimated at 829,000,000 bu, as compared with 842,000,000 bu last year.

B. A. Eckhart says of the flour situation: "There is no export demand to speak of. Stocks of flour are small and we expect to sell every pound that we can make, and at a good profit, too. We are running on full time. Chicago stocks were never any smaller than at present. Should there be a bull movement in wheat flour would advance wonderfully sharp."

The Buenos Ayres Standard says: "The extremely cold weather that prevailed for a few days appears to have caused comparatively little injury to the growing crops or to the newly shorn sheep, and it served to keep the locusts at bay." A private cable yesterday from Rosario reported weather fine.

The authorities are not exactly together on world's lard stocks. Fairbank makes them 130,005 tcs, while Hately figures up 152,212 tcs. The Fairbank decrease is 34,084 tcs for November, while Hately's is 28,761 tcs.

Wheat stocks at Minneapolis, Duluth, and country elevators on Dec. 1 amounted to 14,742,000 bu, as compared with 18,922,000 bu a year ago. The big decrease comes in at Duluth.

The hog receipts at the western points are showing a big increase. Yesterday they were 102,600 head, whereas a year ago only 89,200 were received.

The twenty-ninth annual convention of the Illinois Millers' State association was held yesterday at Springfield.

Minneapolis messages report large flour sales, but do not give details as to quantity or price.

Estimated receipts today: Wheat, 130 cars; corn, 145 cars; oats, 100 cars; hogs, 35,000.

December deliveries yesterday were 5,000 bu of corn and 25,000 bu of rye.

Minneapolis in five days increases its wheat stock 500,000 bu.

SHOW GOOD OCTOBER GAIN

UNION PACIFIC GROSS INCREASES 10.6 PER CENT.

Net Has Much Larger Gain — Norfolk and Western for the Same Month Makes a Relatively Better Showing, While Pennsylvania's Operating Expenses Cause a Decrease in Net—Large Decrease in New Trust Capitalization—Sales on Local Exchange

Earnings of the Union Pacific for October show a good gain. The increase in gross was 10.6 per cent. Although operating expenses were heavy, running 16.2 per cent, net earnings for the same period, according to the figures furnished yesterday, increased an equal amount. These figures are one of the encouraging straws in the bull situation.

The Norfolk and Western shows good gains in both gross and net, the former increasing 10.4 per cent, and the latter 12.9 per cent.

But the Pennsylvania October statement shows but a moderate increase in gross with double the amount of increase in expenses, and a consequent decrease in net earnings of $105,000 on the lines directly operated. President Cassatt is understood to believe that October or November will make the low records for some time to come. The only thing unsatisfactory about such forecasts is the inability to determine for what reason they are uttered.

Monthly statements of other roads make varying showings, there being an absence of the uniform increase in gross earnings. Figures follow:

UNION PACIFIC SYSTEM.

	Earnings.	Increase.
October, gross	$ 5,675,576	$ 792,717
Oper. expenses and taxes.	2,907,027	392,363
Net	2,868,548	400,355
From July 1—		
Gross	19,982,269	2,178,430
Oper. expenses and taxes.	10,631,018	1,706,016
Net	9,351,241	472,414

NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

October, gross	2,081,009	268,470
Operating expenses	1,214,902	193,583
Taxes	816,103	92,372
Charges	224,390	11,457
Surplus	691,713	81,415
From July 1—		
Gross	7,785,574	1,024,584
Operating expenses	4,684,223	705,966
Taxes	2,819,253	316,618
Charges	803,963	45,970
Surplus	2,241,280	272,648

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Lines directly operated—	Increase.	
	October.	From Jan. 1.
Gross	$ 178,000	$9,930,100
Expenses	263,000	9,874,500
Net	*105,000	9,874,500
Lines west of Pittsburg and Erie—		
Gross	401,900	5,323,200
Expenses	408,300	5,550,800
Net	*1,400	*227,500

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA AND ST. LOUIS.

	Earnings.	Increase.
October, gross	$ 875,803	$ 51,965
Operating expenses	663,539	86,818
Net	210,313	*35,273
Charges	140,583	4,793
Surplus	69,731	*34,466

In operating expenses this year is included $79,955 for additional property.

From July 1—		
Gross	3,344,819	300,112
Operating expenses	2,411,297	315,874
Net	933,550	*85,753
Charges	599,122	*4,023
Surplus	334,433	*81,730

Operating expenses this year include $259,677 for additions to property.

MEXICAN INTERNATIONAL.

October, gross	5,549,428	*34,936
Operating expenses	226,600	*36,344
Net	222,822	1,410
From Jan. 1	5,889,430	590,274
Operating expenses	3,554,749	278,210
Net	2,334,681	312,064

*Decrease.

Bulls Have Hope.

Bull sentiment here and there is beginning to manifest itself, and considerable hopefulness is expressed in certain quarters. It has been so long since there was a genuine rise in the market that symptoms of better prices are eagerly noted. There is a lingering hope that there may be a movement akin at least to the kind the stock market experienced previous to last September.

But conditions are not encouraging for those who would see an upward swing of large importance. People at large are not yet ready to come into the market, and the artificial price makers, known as pools, have lost fortunes and quit the business. The New York stock board is bare of the operators who two years ago were large factors in bull campaigns. A backward survey of what has happened in one year leads to the belief that a recuperative period has not since followed that would warrant heavy speculation or investment in securities.

Opinion from the Floor.

Counselman & Co. had yesterday the following summary of the situation in Wall street from the viewpoint of the immediate course of prices:

"After a careful conversation with every big financial man I could reach yesterday and last evening, I don't believe we are started on a real bull movement, but the trouble is that it is simply a guess for any one to decide how high short covering may carry the market.

"Some big operators, especially floor traders, have covered their shorts and gone long, but there is still an enormous short interest out, and every advance forces more shorts to cover.

"Opinion of best authorities seems far more mixed than usual. Some big men told me last night that we should have another big advance before Christmas, while others said, 'Look out for serious trouble this month.'

"I don't like to appear so mixed, but give you these opinions just as I get them, and, one the whole, it looks to me as if the present is not a time at which to take a firm stand on either side, but believe quick profits or losses should be taken."

Decline in Trust Making.

Trust formations in the month of November reached the low ebb. Not in a series of years has the capitalization taken out for new corporations been so small. The total was $56,100,000.

Declining stock markets, failures of industrial corporations, loss of prestige by promoters, and demands of business interests on the money market have operated to bring the trust producing occupation to the minimum as compared with the output of new stocks in the last three years.

The New York Journal of Commerce has kept records for a series of years of the new incorporations in Pennsylvania, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and New York. It is the aggregate in these states of companies with a capital of over $1,000,000 that is taken.

New Jersey for the month of November authorised but $4,250,000 for companies of over $1,000,000. The November figures for the states mentioned follow:

Pennsylvania	$28,500,000	New Jersey	$ 4,250,000
Maine	14,000,000	New York	4,000,000
Massachusetts	6,000,000		

The records of three years, as compiled by the Journal of Commerce, follow:

	1903.	1902.	1901.
January	$ 177,990,000	$ 146,950,000	$ 160,250,000
February	175,975,000	294,850,000	79,500,000
March	144,975,000	158,150,000	190,500,000
April	243,200,000	251,578,000	*1,019,650,000
May	307,695,000	226,500,000	177,950,000
June	135,695,000	196,182,800	263,450,000
July	106,100,000	469,856,400	236,225,000
August	77,950,000	241,879,550	57,450,000
September	129,250,000	195,184,900	66,800,000
October	67,300,000	244,550,000	164,600,000
Nov'b'r	56,100,000	115,140,000	†508,850,000
Totals	$1,572,201,000	$2,520,828,650	$3,510,525,000

*Includes United States Steel corporation.
†Includes Northern Securities company.

Dividends Declared.

Chicago Telephone directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of $2.50 per share, payable Dec. 31 to stock of record Dec. 24. Books close Dec. 24 and reopen Jan. 2.

The Electric Boat company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on preferred stock, payable Jan. 1. Books close Dec. 10, and reopen Jan. 2.

Finance Company of Pennsylvania declared a dividend of $1.50 a share on first preferred stock, payable Jan. 2, as registered Dec. 9.

The Maryland Coal company declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent upon its capital stock and an extra dividend of 2½ per cent, payable Dec. 31. Books close Dec. 19, and reopen Jan. 2.

The directors of the Equitable Illuminating Gaslight company have declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent on preferred stock, payable Dec. 15 to stock of record Dec. 8.

Directors of the Atchison have declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock.

New York Curb Quotations.

Following were closing quotations on the New York curb for the securities named:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	10¾	11
Do pfd.	90¾	90¾
Con. Ry. Light and Ref.	3	3¼
Electric Boat	21½	22
Electric Vehicle	8½	9
Do pfd	9	10
Havana Tobacco	23½	...
Do pfd	80	...
Int'l Mercantile Marine, common	3	3¼
Do pfd	17	18½
Manhattan Transit	...	2
Montreal & Boston	¾	11-16
N. Y. Electric Vehicle Trans.	4½	4¾
Northern Securities	85	88
Otis Elevator	35	37
Do pfd	78	83
Royal Baking Powder pfd.	109½	110½
Seaboard Air Line	13½	13¾
Do pfd	23	23½
Standard Oil	640	645
St. Louis Transit	12½	14
Do pfd	58¾	61
Am. Light & Trac. common	46	47
Do pfd	80	85
Am. Writing Paper common	2	2½
Do pfd	8	10½
Do 5s	65¼	65¾

Foreign exchange was steady yesterday at the following figures:

DEATHS.

Marriage or death notices will be cabled in condensed form, without extra charge, for publication in the Paris edition of the New York Herald, if accompanied by a request, by writing on their notices "Cable to the New York Herald European edition."

IN MEMORIAM.

MORTON—In memory of our daughter, Williamson Marguerite.

TOBEY—Ann. In memory of our dear beloved mother, who died two years ago, Dec. 3, 1901.

Albrecht, George.
Artes, Margaret.
Bold, Mrs. O. W.
Bolles, Dr. Albert G.
Bolles, ——
Casey, John L.
Clark, Herman Robert.
Cooper, George W.
Considine, Leasha.
Creighton, Lieut. J. B.
Dawson, Patrick.
Driggs, James W.
Driscoll, Joseph.
Earnest, Mollie Caroline.
Fick, Lizzie Jane.
Fisherly, James.
Ford, Edward P.
Gallagher, Thomas H.
Gehring, Arthur.
Gerber, Charles B.
Gerber, Gertrude M.
Healy, Abigail.
Hopps, Ida Josephine.
Johnson, Frank J.
Johnston, Amelia.
Johnson, Dr. Mortimer B.
Johnson, Malin.
Kahn, Lottie.
Kemnitz, Henrietta.
Kummer, John.
Lynch, Teresa B.
McKinnon, Dr. John K.
Melby, Amelia.
Nachtway, Mrs. Anna B.
Nelson, John.
Neuses, Anna M.
O'Keefe, James.
O'Keefe, Mary.
Pirrung, Conrad.
Powell, Hannah.
Prescott, Helen Maria
Rosenthal, Bertha.
Roggenbach, Henry
Soden, Sarah A.
Tolman, Mary Bronson.
Volker, Katherina
Welch, John
Welsh, Mrs. Mary
Welsh, Martha G.
Wyman, Mrs. Susan N.
Zarth, Dorothy L.

ALBRECHT—Dec. 1, George Albrecht; husband of Annie Albrecht, son of Wilhelmina and the late Frederick Albrecht, brother of Charles F., William, Rudolph, and Mrs. Anna Albrecht, and Emma Grenig and Mrs. Augusta Hines. Funeral late residence, 423 W. Superior-st., Friday, Dec. 4, to Rosehill.

ARTOS—Margaret, aged 63 years. Funeral services at 2:30 p.m. undertaking rooms, 239 W. Madison-st., Thursday, at 2 p. m., by carriages to Forest Home.

BEEBE—Dr. Albert G., Dec. 2, aged 60 years, husband of Frances L., father of Lealie W. Beebe, Oak Park, and Mrs. Frederick Rickords. Funeral notice hereafter.

BUDD—Monday morning, Nov. 30, 1903, at House, Mrs. O. W. Budd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Southgate. Funeral will be held from the residence of S. W. Rawson, 4945 Ellis-av., Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

BULLIS—Infant daughter of Elmer E. and Matilda Bullis [nee Maxey], 481 E. 44th-st. Burial at Oakwoods cemetery.

CARET—At Fresno, Cal., formerly of 4720 Ellis-av., John L., son of Officer John Casey. Funeral notice later.

CLAUSS—Herman Robert, Nov. 30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Clauss, aged 24 years. Funeral from 939 W. Madison-st., Dec. 3, at 12:30 to Waldheim.

COMER—George W., Dec. 1, aged 51 years, husband of Annie S. Comer. Funeral Friday, 1 p. m., Garfield Boulevard M. E. church. Burial at Mount Hope.

CONSIDINE—Leasha [nee Kennedy], beloved wife of J. J. Considine, at her residence, 413 S. Center-av. Funeral private.

CREIGHTON—Lieut. John Boston, beloved husband of Lena [nee Dewar] and father of William, Dorothy, and John, aged 54 years. Funeral from late residence, 880 E. 71st-place, Friday, 2 p. m., to Oakwoods.

DAWSON—Dec. 2, Patrick, husband of Hannah Dawson. Funeral from 766 Flournoy-st., Friday, at 9:15 a. m. to Our Lady of Sorrows church, for services to Mount Carmel.

DIGGS—James W. Diggs, Nov. 29, 1903. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 3, 9:30 a. m. sharp, from chapel of Fred H. Russ, undertaker, 4219 Cottage Grove-av. Interment at Mount Hope.

DRISCOLL, Joseph, aged 33 years, husband of Julia Driscoll, at 423 Lincoln-av. Funeral notice hereafter.

EARNEST—Mollie Caroline, Dec. 1, daughter of Henry and Mary Earnest, aged 12 years. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., from 836 Marengo-st., South Harlem, by carriages to Waldheim.

FICK—Lizzie M. Fick, aged 25 years, Dec. 1. Services at 615 N. Wood-st., Dec. 6, at 12:30 o'clock, thence to Fourth M. E. church. Burial at Waldheim.

FLAHERTY—James, suddenly, Nov. 29, aged 74 years. Funeral from Sheldon's undertaking rooms, 359 W. Madison-st., Friday, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Patrick's church, thence by carriages to Mount Carmel. Indianapolis, Ind., papers please copy.

FORD—Edward P., son of Timothy and Mary Ford. Funeral Dec. 3, at 9 a. m., from 508 S. Whipple-st. to St. Agatha's church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

GALLAGHER—On Nov. 27, Thomas H., aged 10 years, son of Thomas J. and Stella K. Gallagher, at Presbyterian hospital, of scarlet fever. Burial private at Mount Olivet.

GERRING—Arthur, son of William and Minnie Gehring, born 1895, died Dec. 1. Funeral Dec. 3 at 10 o'clock from 1903 W. 51st-st. by carriages to Mount Greenwood cemetery.

GEORGE—Charles Bradley George, at Waukegan, Wednesday, aged 74 years. Funeral Friday at 1:30, at Waukegan. Elgin papers please copy.

HARMON—Gertrude M. Harmon, beloved wife of Robert Harmon, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Services at 9:30 Friday morning at her late residence 930 South-av., Wilmette, Ill.

HEALY—Abigail, wife of Michael D. Funeral from 2136 W. Lake-st. Dec. 4 at 9:30 a. m. to St. Mel's church, thence by carriages to Mount Carmel.

HODGSON—Frank J., beloved husband of Ellen Hodgson [nee Musher], at his residence 2556 Fulton-st., Wednesday, Dec. 2, 1903, aged 26 years. Funeral notice hereafter.

HOPPE—Ida Josephine, Nov. 30, aged 14 years, daughter of Lottie and the late Paul Hoppe. Funeral from 66 N. Washtenaw-av. Dec. 3 at 2 p. m. by carriages to Mount Olive.

JOHNSON—Amelia, aged 35 years, Dec. 1, 1903, at Augustana hospital. Funeral services at Gustavus Adolphus church, Clark-st., 1:30 Thursday. Interment at Forest Home cemetery.

JOHNSON—Dr. Mortimer B., Dec. 1, aged 75 years. Funeral Dec. 2 from 6023 S. Sangamon-st. Burial at Auburn, N. Y.

JOHNSON—Malin, Nov. 30. Funeral Thursday, 1 p. m. from 380 Grand-av. to Mount Olivet.

KAHN—Lottie Kahn, nee Grossman, in her 36th year. Funeral at Louisville, Ky., Thursday, Dec. 3, at 2 p. m.

KEMNITZ—Henrietta, Dec. 1, aged 68 years. Funeral Dec. 4, 1 o'clock, from 1222 Armitage-av. to Mount Olivet.

KUMMER—John, Nov. 29. Funeral from 345 Ashland-blvd. Dec. 3 at 1 o'clock; interment at Waldheim.

LYNCH—Teresa B. (Pidgie), beloved daughter of Harriet and the late Michael Lynch, sister of Timothy C. Norah, Mary M., Katie, Lizzie, and J. J. Lynch, aged 21 years. Funeral from her mother's residence, 3758 Taylor-st., Friday, Dec. 4, at 9:30 a. m., to Holy Family church, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by C., M. and St. Paul R. R. to Calvary.

MYMON—Dr. John K., aged 48 years, husband of Helen Elizabeth, Nov. 30. Funeral will be held from 220 E. 57th-st. Dec. 3 at 10 a. m. Interment at Rosehill, by carriages.

MELBY—Amelia. Funeral from 272 Dayton-st. Dec. 3 at 1 p. m. to Rosehill.

NACHTWAY—Dec. 1, aged 69 years 2 months, Mrs. Anna B., beloved wife of the late Franz J. Nachtway, mother of Albert A., W. F., Mrs. Moser, and Mrs. W. Tegtmeyer. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m. from the residence of her daughter, 1151 Wilson-blvd., cor. Spaulding-av., to Waldheim cemetery.

NELSON—John, beloved father of Louis H. Nelson, Dec. 1, age 69 years. Funeral from late residence, 1056 Evergreen-av., Thursday, Dec. 3, at 1:30 p. m., to Graceland.

NEUSES—Anna M., wife of the late Peter Neuses. Funeral Dec. 5, 8:30 a. m., from 74 Hudson-av. to St. Michael's church, thence to St. Boniface.

O'KEEFE—Mary, at Cook County asylum, Monday, Nov. 30, aged 70 years. Funeral from Lynch undertaking parlor, 869 Milwaukee-av., Friday, Dec. 3, 1903, at 9 a. m., to Mount Carmel cemetery.

O'KEEFE—At Lake City, Colo., Nov. 30, James. Burial at Lake City, Colo., Dec. 4.

PIRRUNG—Dec. 2, husband of Elizabeth Pirrung, aged 73 years. Funeral Friday at 9:30 a. m. from 422 Oak-st. to St. Joseph's church, thence to St. Boniface.

POWELL—Hannah, aged 68 years, widow of the late Max Powell, mother of Emma, Tillie, and Lee, suddenly. Funeral Friday, 1 p. m., from Fifth's, 35th and Grand-blvd.

PRESCOTT—Helen Maria, nee Mansur, at Boscobel, Wis., Dec. 1, aged 94 years 4 months, mother of Rufus H. Prescott, George A. Prescott of Milwaukee, and Emma A. Strong of Chicago. Boston papers [Wis.], and Milwaukee [Wis.], and Beloit [Wis.] papers please copy.

ROGGENBACH—Henry, aged 33 years, son of Mary Roggenbach. Funeral Dec. 3, 2 p. m., from 416 S. North-av., to Rosehill.

ROSENTHAL—Bertha [nee Eisendrath], age 79 years, mother of Mrs. H. Regensburg, Mrs. Fallheimer, Mrs. M. Haenlein, Sig. and Oscar M. Rosenthal, Mrs. David Jacobs, Mrs. Sam Greenebaum. Funeral from her late residence, 432 La Salle-av., Friday, Dec. 4, at 1:30 p. m., by carriage to Graceland.

SODEN—Sarah A., Dec. 1, wife of Robert Soden, at 406 W. Polk-st. Funeral notice later.

TOLMAN—Mary Bronson, beloved wife of C. F. Tolman, D. D. Funeral from residence, 41 Douglas-place, Friday, Dec. 4, at 10 a. m.

VOLKER—Katherina, widow of Frederick Volker, Dec. 1, aged 53 years. Funeral Dec. 4 at 1 p. m. from 252 W. Huron-st., to St. Peter's church, thence by carriages to Waldheim.

WELCH—John, Nov. 30, husband of Hannah Welch. Funeral Dec. 3 at 9 a. m. from 923 Garfield-blvd., to Visitation church, thence by carriage to Mount Olivet.

WERBER—Mrs. Mary, wife of Jacob Weber, at 1040 Walnut-av. Funeral Thursday at 9 o'clock at St. George's church, thence by carriages to St. Boniface cemetery.

WELSH—Martha G., beloved wife of George R., mother of Mrs. Welsh, and Mrs. Wilson Place, and president John A. Logan Circle No. 39, Ladies of G. A. R. Age 70 years. Funeral from late residence, 1159 Grenshaw-st., Thursday, 11 a. m. Detroit and Jackson [Mich.] papers copy.

WYMAN—Dec. 2, aged 75 years, Mrs. Susan N., wife of the late Dr. R. H. Wyman. Funeral at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 8, from 1 Kenwood and San Francisco papers copy.

ZARTH—Dorothy L., daughter of Fred and Sophia Zarth, at 704 S. Canal-st. Funeral Dec. 3 at 2 p. m. to Concordia.

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OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Illinois—Rain or snow Thursday, brisk southerly winds; Friday fair and colder.

Lower Michigan—Snow Thursday, warmer in western portion; Friday snow, colder, except on the western shore, increasing southerly winds Thursday.

Upper Michigan—Rain or snow Thursday, warmer in northern portion; Friday snow and colder, brisk to high southerly to westerly winds.

Indiana—Rain or snow and warmer Thursday, brisk southerly winds; Friday fair and colder.

Wisconsin—Rain or snow Thursday; Friday fair and colder, brisk to high southerly to westerly winds.

Missouri—Fair Thursday, colder at night; Friday fair.

Minnesota—Snow Thursday, colder in western portion; Friday fair, except snow near Lake Superior, brisk to high southwest to northwest winds.

North Dakota—Fair, colder Thursday; Friday fair.

South Dakota—Fair, colder in western, clearing and colder in eastern portion Thursday, Friday fair.

Place of observation. Time taken: Dec. 2, 8 p. m.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	62	68	S.	....	Clear
Albany	30	32	N.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Alpena	24	32	N.	.02	Clear
Atlanta	34	42	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Amarillo	56	70	W.	....	Clear
Battleford	24	46	N.W.	.30	Clear
Bismarck	30	42	N.W.	.10	Snow
Buffalo	28	34	E.	Tr.	Clear
Boston	32	36	N.	.14	Clear
Cairo	42	56	S.	Tr.	Clear
Charlotte	54	68	N.E.	....	Clear
Cheyenne	40	48	N.W.	....	Clear
Chicago	26	30	S.	....	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	38	52	E.	Tr.	Clear
Cleveland	30	32	E.	....	Clear
Concordia	40	48	N.	....	Clear
Davenport	32	32	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Denver	38	52	W.	....	Clear
Des Moines	30	32	S.	....	Clo'dy
Detroit	28	30	N.E.	Tr.	Fair
Dodge City	46	62	E.	....	Clear
Dubuque	30	30	S.E.	.01	Snow
Duluth	22	22	S.	.01	Snow
El Paso	64	72	W.	....	Fair
Galveston	60	68	S.E.	....	Clear
Grand Rapids	20	24	S.E.	....	Clear
Green Bay	26	28	S.	....	Clo'dy
Havre	40	46	N.W.	.01	Clo'dy
Helena	30	34	S.W.	.01	Clear
Huron	40	42	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	32	36	E.	Tr.	Clear
Jacksonville	58	66	N.	.46	Clear
Kansas City	34	36	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Lander	30	46	N.W.	....	Clear
Little Rock	50	64	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Los Angeles	58	64	W.	....	Clear
Marquette	22	28	S.	Tr.	Fair
Memphis	52	58	S.W.	.02	Clear
Milwaukee	26	28	S.	.01	Fair
Minnedosa	28	38	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Montgomery	52	66	N.	....	Clear
Montreal	20	22	N.E.	....	Fair
Moorhead	30	30	S.E.	.02	Clo'dy
Nashville	42	56	E.	....	Clear
New Orleans	56	66	W.	....	Clear
New York City	36	40	N.E.	.01	Snow
Norfolk	44	52	N.E.	....	Clear
North Platte	40	48	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Oklahoma	44	50	S.E.	....	Clear
Omaha	32	34	S.	....	Clo'dy
Oswego	24	30	E.	....	Clear
Palestine	48	56	S.E.	....	Clear
Parkersburg	36	54	N.	....	Clear
Philadelphia	34	34	N.	.16	Sleet
Pittsburg	32	36	E.	....	Clear
Pueblo	48	68	E.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	12	38	N.W.	.06	Snow
Rapid City	38	48	N.W.	....	Clear
San Francisco	60	64	N.	....	Clear
St. Louis	32	36	S.E.	....	Fair
St. Paul	26	28	S.E.	.01	Snow
Salt Lake City	34	40	N.W.	....	Clear
San Antonio	58	64	S.	....	Clear
Ste. Marie	24	30	S.E.	.01	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	30	32	E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo.	32	36	S.	Tr.	Clear
Vicksburg	42	46	N.E.	....	Clear
Washington	32	32	N.W.	Tr.	Snow
White River	28	30	S.	.01	Clo'dy
Wichita	42	44	S.	....	Clear
Winnipeg	32	34	S.	....	Clo'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Mamasse, optician, 83 East Madison street, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 26 degrees; 9 a. m., 27; 10 a. m., 29; 11 a. m., 30; 12 m., 31; 1 p. m., 32; 3 p. m., 30; 6 p. m., 27. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.70; 6 p. m., 29.60.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO wed to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in Chicago where no place of residence is given:

	Age.
David Crockett, Mattie Watkins	37—22
Joseph Schubert, Katherine Neuman	32—21
Harry Von Plessen, Louis Strelinski	32—21
Michael J. Byrnes, Annie S. Bush	35—27
John Hoffman, Dora Brandt, Niles, Ill.	32—23
Charles Vinal Eckels, Verna Jane Tennant, Cardington, O.	22—21
John W. Eckberg, Evanston, Ill., Annie Hess, same	25—25
Peter Stritof, Anna Dianovic	24—20
Hugh Pagenstecher, Irene Clark	22—22
Henry Setsack, Evanston, Ill., Carrie Hinkel, same	30—21
George Rollie White, Brady, Tex., Victoria Louise Bingham, Oak Park, Ill.	28—26
Ole Nelson, Yorkville, Ill., Agnes Nelson, same	36—23
Glenn E. Middleton, Alice L. Kimball	20—23
Christian Behrens, Josephine Samuelson	21—18
Charles J. Fey, Margaret A. Schneider	26—26
Frank Charles, Mary Gianto	21—19
Jacob Gundlinger, Dina Sinsheimer	21—18
Arthur L. Timms, Omaha, Neb., Minnie M. Reum, same	31—22
Max Bach, Pauline Simon	22—22
Edward Perkins, Lydia Griscoll	37—32
Frank O. Swanson, Nannie C. Carlson	36—26
Joseph B. Welch, Chicago, Wis., Lydia Hanson, Milwaukee, Wis	43—28
Wendel Zeman, Cooperstown, Wis., Anna Pospichal, same	23—21
Ralph Engelsman, Minnie Koman	26—19
Thaddeus J. Layton, Augusta Gundlach	21—21
Ambrose Ryan, Harriet Meyer	21—18
George Cowen, Doris Schmenn, Burlington, Ia.	22—23
Frank Krumroy, Mabel Brumbaugh, Akron, O.	22—22
Charles Nau, Shabbona, Ill., Cora M. Heeg, same	21—18
Albert Phelps, Utica, Ill., Mrs. Edna L. Phelps, same	33—31
A. Albert Funk, Elisel I. Rahmanop	25—22
Nicholas H. Welle, Mary Ruff	21—19
Otto H. Jordan, Bertha Schefler	21—19
George Zartarian, Louise Graffner	30—30
Jacob Montgomery, Emma Smith	26—18
Isadore Buxbaum, Mettie Solomon	21—18
Louis Frost, Nellie Duggan	22—22
Paul Schneider, Emily Neindorf	23—21
Israel Keller, Polly Rosenberg	25—27
Henry M. Bankhead, Alice B. Stickney	26—22
Albert H. Troyke, Martha Reinke	45—35
John F. Maher, Minerva Jacobs	44—30
Emil C. Kuh, Ida Baer	30—23
Edward A. Seybold, Hattie Whitfield	36—33
Antonino Renta, Rockford, Ill., Antonina Matese	25—18
August Hanson, Sophie Rossing	30—19
W. Forrest Callender, Helen Edith Wright	24—20
Peter Cano, Florence Salt	26—21
Harry Friedman, Goldie Greenberg	22—18
George E. Moore, Cody Shrimpton	37—26
Albert J. Brooks, Hattie Maxwell	25—21
John F. Wilson, Georgie E. Griffith	45—43
John C. Miller, Ella Ansorge	25—20
Lewis M. Hayes, Clara B. Richardson	30—25
Theodore A. Ody, Martha H. Higgins	22—24
Alfred Procter, Jennie Wells	22—22
Frank Lindsay, Ella M. Hall	23—22
Charles W. Whalen, Hattie C. Mitchell	28—22
George Chalifoux, Blanche Offergelt	28—22
Herman O. Schmidt, Estella E. Smith	25—27
Harvey Lear, Edna Dessert	45—41
Philip Lipski, Augusta Drozdawits	30—20
Albert Micharlis, Polly Homan	23—23
Henry Burmann, Clara Rosenthal	21—18
Charles Pfening, Lillian Rieckenberg	31—28
Anton A. Lind, Hulda V. Eastman	30—21
Lawrence Knowles, Joliet, Ill., Frances Kutenburg, Machigan, Ill	25—24
Harry H. Kneevers, Sylvia Pierron	22—20
Conrad Carlson, Ragna Lindvig	27—24
Orion Williamson, Marie Gilliland	21—28
Nehemiah H. Emmans, Minneapolis, Minn., Jennie Mable	48—33
Fred Groff, Bertha Nergenthaler	26—21
Otto A. Greenburg, Leola Clark	21—21
John J. Quigley, Anna J. Balwell	27—23
John Benson, Helma Johnson	21—20
Eddie Bradford, Lizzie Johnson	22—20
Fred H. Jenkin, Jane E. Solner	30—24
Charles W. Search, Zanesville, O., Amelia Mantz	29—21

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Allen, Mamie C., 5; 1426 State-st. Dec. 1.
Albrecht, George, 39; 423 W. Superior-st. Dec. 1.
Artos, Margaret, 62; 143 S. Green-st.
Bouffard, Peter, 50; 214 Blue Island-av. Nov. 29.
Coopsr, John, 32; 3823 S. Carpenter-st. Nov. 30.
Dosemalis, Peter, 53; 37 Crittenden-st. Dec. 1.
Engleman, Jossph, 74; 351 N. Western-av. Nov. 30.
Emer, George, 59; 518 W. 21st-st. Nov. 30.
Fick, Lizzie, 25; 615 N. Wood-st. Dec. 2.
Faschke, Julia A., 75; Church-road and Western-av. Nov. 30.
Finnan, Catherine, 55; 2818 Wallace-st. Nov. 29.
Gerken, Nicholas, 73; 463 Cleveland-av. Nov. 30.
Gehring, Arthur, 8; 1000 W. 51st-st. Dec. 1.
Gallivan, Dennis, 31; 272 Marshfield-av. Nov. 30.
Hoppe, Ida J., 14; 619 N. Washtenaw-av. Nov. 30.
Haarman, Gertrude, 41; 10705 Wabash-av. Nov. 30.
Henry, J. G., 1858 State-st. Nov. 30.
Johnson, Martin, 50; 389 Grand-av. Nov. 30.
Johnson, Ane E., 87; Norw. Old People's home, Nov. 30.
Johnson, Mortimeo B., 74; 6023 Sangamon-st., Dec. 1.
Kowalski, Joanna, 14; 25 Chapin-st., Nov. 30.
Kolosinski, Edw., 7; 4039 Center-av., Dec. 1.
Kowalski, John J., 43; 3235 Leavitt-st., Dec. 1.
Kepley, Catherine E., 23; 288 Newberry-av., Nov. 30.
Letz, Charles, 40; 2311 Superior-av., Nov. 30.
Lockman, Rosa, 62; 5144 Dearborn-st., Nov. 30.
Litwiler, Wilson, 50; 2354 Dearborn-st., Dec. 1.
Moore, Maggie, 30; 2940 Archer-av., Nov. 30.
Peterman, Rosa M., 18; 2865 Lyman-st., Nov. 29.
Rorgenbach, Theodore, 33; 416 E. North-av., Nov. 30.
Rhode, Anna, 75; 317 Rush-st., Dec. 1.
Sties, John P., 48; 7854 Chamreg-av., Dec. 2.
Solbert, Rose, 59; 762 Dickson-st., Dec. 2.
Stewart, Edna, 34; 4066 Stewart-av., Dec. 1.
Switala, Mary N., 20; 256 W. Division-st., Dec. 2.
Veiker, Katherina, 53; 252 W. Huron-st., Dec. 1.
Wyman, Fannie, 86; 120 E. 12th-st., Dec. 1.
Welsh, Martha G., 80; 1155 Grenshaw-st., Dec. 1.
Weiss, Nathan, 37; 209 Kramer-st., Dec. 2.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, Cape Colony, and Lourenso Marquez, 8 p. m.
For Cuba, 7:30 p. m.
For Alaska, 9 p. m.
For Jamaica, via New York, 12 p. m.
For Costa Rica, 5 p. m.
For Austria, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, and Sweden, via L. & Philadelphia, 5 p. m.
For Ireland, via S. S. Kuruia, 12 p. m.
For Brazil and for Porto Rico, 5 p. m.
For Curacoa and Venezuela, 5 p. m.
For Fortune Island, for Savanilla and Cartagena, Colombia, and for Greytown, Nicaragua, 5 p. m.
For Isagua and Hayti, 5 p. m.
For St. Kitts, for St. Martins and St. Eustatius, via St. Kitts, and for British, Dutch, and French Guiana, via Georgetown, 5 p. m.
For the Argentine republic, Uruguay, and Paraguay, 12 p. m.

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THE FOLLOWING BUILDING PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the building department:

Jacob Dorn, 1 story front addition, 25x44, to residence, 641 Washtenaw-av. ..... $ 1,500
Thayer & Co., 1 story addition, 47x100, 3257-59 Shields-av. 3,000
Lindholm & Johnson, two 3 story flat buildings, each 22x75, 3627-29 Calumet-av. 19,000
Antonia Konkee, 2 story flats, 20x33, 4432 Honore-st. 2,400
Frank McConnell, 1½ story cottage, 22x39, 600 Wood-st. 1,800
Frank Kolek, 1 story cottage, 20x32, 5005 South Wood-st. 1,100
William Blake, 1 story cottage, 21x40, 2064 N. Albany-av. 1,500
Frank Malkowski, 2 story flats, 22x68, 659 W. Belmont-av. 3,500
E. F. Marshall, 2 story dwelling, 20x30, 912 Tripp-st. 2,000
E. F. Marshall, 2 story dwelling, 20x32, 908 Tripp-st. 2,000
E. F. Marshall, 2 story dwelling, 22x36, 157 N. Spaulding-av. 2,500
P. J. Maloney, 2 story dwelling, 20x45, 1112-1114 Winthrop-av. 4,000
Erickson & Isaacson, 2 story flat building, 22x82, 3375 N. Ashland-av. 5,000
B. D. Heeb, 2 story residence, 34x44, 2476 Sheridan-drive 12,000

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Phoenix Fire Extinguisher company, Chicago; capital, $10,000; manufacturing fire extinguishers; incorporators, Hyman Rosenberg, Harry L. Stacy, Amon Mauss.

Peoria Sanitary Hair Brush company, Peoria; capital, $2,500; manufacturing hair brushes; incorporators, Jacob Wambsgan, Charles P. Uhlmann, Max W. Ross.

Hobbs Spanish American Medicine company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; manufacturing medical preparations; incorporators, John F. Robertson, William C. Harmon, Haney Kelting.

P. P. Siegel & Bro., Chicago; capital, $100,000; manufacturing wearing apparel; incorporators, Augustus Binswanger, Elmer E. Jackson, Joseph A. Weber.

Harrisburg Stave and Heading company, Harrisburg; capital, $10,000; manufacturing staves, headings, and hoops; incorporators, John W. Rees, Charles Smalley, Frank Merry.

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Oak Leaves company, Chicago; capital, $5,000; printing and publishing; incorporators, Orrin M. Donaldson, Henry P. Sinden, Cyril R. Jandus.

Phenix Medical association, Chicago; capital, $2,500; commercial and medical agency for medical practitioners; incorporators, Louis B. Door, G. L. Jacobs, M. G. Eldred.

Champion Bros., Chicago; capital, $10,000; manufacturing hardwood and lumber; incorporators, Thomas S. Harper, H. P. Chancellor, U. E. McDonald.

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DISMISSES "STRIKE BREAKER'S" CHARGE AGAINST POLICEMAN.

Over Protest of Inspector Wheeler Commissioners Meier and Errant Vote to Let Patrolman Wolfe Go Unpunished—Gate Tender at Indian Village Accused of Collecting Money—Graft Committee Troubled by the Failure of Witnesses to Appear.

In spite of Inspector Wheeler's protest the police trial board yesterday dismissed the charges against Policeman Thomas C. Wolfe, accused by Motorman Frank G. Curry, the "strike breaker." The inspector insisted on punishing the policeman, but Commissioners Meier and Errant proved merciful.

Wolfe had been suspended on the charge that while guarding Curry on one of the trips during the strike he had insulted him. Curry appeared before the board and told his story. He was partly substantiated by C. E. Jones, assistant division superintendent.

Some doubt was expressed by the two civil service commissioners.

"Curry is telling the truth," said the inspector. "Do you think that a man who showed as much bravery as he did during the strike would come up here and lie? He did as much as the police force in running the cars. He's telling the truth."

He voted for punishment, but the two commissioners dismissed the charges. It was said that Wolfe's attorney had been secured for him by the street railway men.

Two Policemen Discharged.

Policeman Frederick W. Miller of South Chicago, John F. Walsh, and Thomas Gallagher of East Chicago avenue were discharged by order of the board. Miller was accused of striking a citizen of Hammond while in a saloon in Ninety-second street. Walsh and Gallagher were discharged for permitting the escape of "Buddy" Ryan and "Teeny" Sullivan, prize fighters, after a disturbance on a cable train at Clark and Division street, in which William Savage, the gripman, was stabbed.

Policemen Fitzmaurice and Bullis were given another continuance, witnesses being absent.

Charges Graft at Indian Village.

Charges that may be investigated by the graft committee were made against Policeman John Bialk after the board session. Policeman John D. Mulvihill of the North Halsted street police station charged that Bialk, while acting as guard at the gates in Lincoln park at the time of the centennial celebration when the Indian village was on exhibition, charged admission fees aggregating $40, although admission to the village was free.

"Some of those men are trying to 'knock' me, and I may as well tell a few things," Mulvihill said.

Milvihill was charged with unbecoming conduct in the saloon of Mont Tennes, 135 Center street, between 4:30 and 5 o'clock of the morning of Oct. 18. The hearing on this charge was continued by the trial board.

Witnesses Fail to Appear.

Two witnesses upon whom the graft committee depended to testify that money had passed between policemen and the proprietors of "protected" gambling places failed to appear in the afternoon. They told their stories to Attorney Brode B. Davis the night before and promised to tell them openly before the committee.

They did not come forward, however, and on search could not be found. The case will be taken before the grand jury.

The committee spent nearly the whole of the day in trying to discover why the police of the Woodlawn district had failed to act on reports that there was gambling above Martin Dwyer's saloon, Sixty-seventh street and Stony Island avenue, and that a handbook was running in Edward Brennan's saloon, Sixty-seventh street and Cottage Grove avenue.

Capt. Hayes, Lieut. McCann, Lieut. Monaghan, and Detectives Kelly, Reilly, and McGuire all admitted before the committee that they knew either by observation or by reports that there was gambling at Dwyer's and a handbook at Brennan's.

Each tried to shift the responsibility for the continued violation of the law. Reilly and Kelly—who incidentally admitted that they had played for the drinks and for small stakes at Dwyer's—asserted that they had reported to Capt. Hayes and the two lieutenants.

Charles Hulse, an officer of the Hyde Park Protective association, testified that he had made reports against both Dwyer and Brennan to Lieut. McCann, and that the latter had told him that if he had his own way there would be no gambling in the district, but that the "pull" came from higher up.

Tells of Paying Policeman $5.

Bertha Hurley, a colored woman living at 507 Clark street, testified that she had paid $5 to Patrolman Smith of Harrison street station to induce him not to arrest her. She said she gave him the money in the hall, and that on his return to an inner room he gave a signal that he had the money to Policeman Anderson, his mate, and that they did not arrest her. Failure to pay $5 on a previous occasion, she said, led to her being sentenced to the bridewell.

MORE FRAUD CASES FOR JURY.

State Completes Evidence Against the Eighteenth Ward Election Officials, and Others Will Be Tried.

A jury in Judge Gary's court today will be given the cases against Herman B. Sherman, John J. Kelly, and Harry O'Donovan, accused of complicity in the Eighteenth ward election frauds. The state finished its case yesterday, evidence having been heard, despite the absence of Sherman and Kelly.

The rest of the cases will be called today. They include charges of conspiracy against Joseph Levy, Frank Rivers, Edward W. Parlee, and Frank Egger. Levy also will answer to a charge of having hindered voters from casting their ballots.

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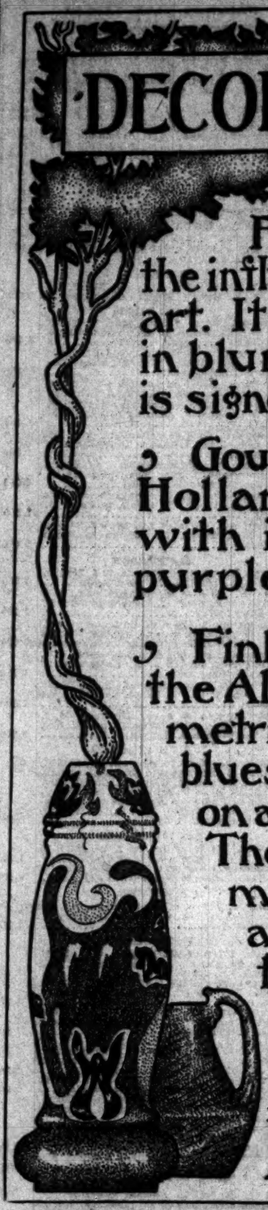

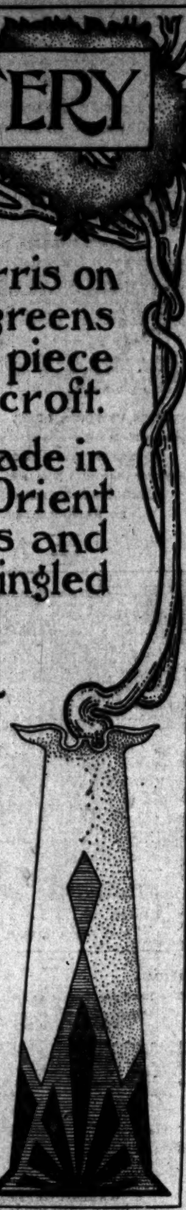

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